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TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 52 deg.; foggy.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; probably showers; brisk westerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Rain; brisk to high southeast winds.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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JAPS SURPRISING RUSSIANS.

Forty Thousand of Them Within Seventy Miles of Vladivostok and the Government Bureau Moves.

Landing is Effected at Possiet Bay and Operations are Directed Against Hunchun and Toward Kirin. Another Repulse at Port Arthur.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's Chefoo correspondent cables that it is rumored that a Japanese force from Possiet Bay has advanced on Hunchun, whose garrison of 600 fled in panic to Kirin.

FORTY THOUSAND OF THEM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Telegraph's Newchwang correspondent cables that 40,000 Japanese troops are within seventy miles of Vladivostok. The roads have been bad, consequently the Russians have not been keeping a close watch, and this forward movement of the Japanese has taken them completely by surprise. An important battle is imminent.

CONSTERNATION PREVAILS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

YINKOW, Feb. 25.—Native reports that the Japanese landed at Possiet Bay and subsequently undertook operations against Hunchun and toward Kirin have received qualified confirmation from English missionary refugees who have arrived at Newchwang. These people say the Russo-Chinese Bank has removed from Kirin to Kwang Chong Tsi, where commercial interests are seeking safety and defense. This reported advance has produced consternation among the European civilians residing on the line of march. It is reported also that the Russian government bureau at Vladivostok has withdrawn to Khabarovsk.

Possiet Bay is in Russia, about seventy-five miles southwest of Vladivostok. Hunchun is on the left bank of the Tumen River and about forty miles to the west of Possiet Bay. Kirin is a big Manchurian town and lies about two hundred and twenty miles inland and to the west of Possiet Bay. Kwang Chong Tsi is about eighty miles west of Kirin. Khabarovsk is about four hundred miles to the north of Vladivostok, which port is connected by a railway.

FLANKING THE RUSSIANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's Tokio correspondent sends the following: "Col. Oka of the Japanese General Staff, in a recent interview with the Herald representative, declared that a dash for Harbin would be one of the first moves of the campaign. A force landed at Possiet Bay, as will be seen by scrutinizing the map, flanks the main Russian army on the Yalu, threatens Vladivostok, and is in a position to dash for Kerin and Harbin, cutting all communications and isolating the Russian troops in Manchuria.

"'Harbin,' said the Colonel, 'is the key to the strategic situation. Russia, with her troops scattered all over Manchuria, with big garrisons at Port Arthur, Mukden, Newchwang and Vladivostok, would, we consider, suffer by her decentralization. We think that by a great effort and much self-sacrifice on the part of our troops, the rush upon Harbin with its immense stores of ammunition, forage and provisions would be a success.

"'Once in occupation, we should hold the line at the vital point. To the south would be Port Arthur and Dalny, cut off from her lines of communication. Both places would be at the risk of assault by the Japanese navy outside and the Japanese army on the land side. To raise the siege the garrisons would have to come out and fight in the open.'

"Kirin is some 200 miles from Hinchun, however, and campaigning in Northern Manchuria in February is no pleasant undertaking. The temperature rarely goes above zero during winter in those latitudes. It is possible that the Japanese movement is intended to flank the Russian position on the Yalu."

THAT NIGHT ATTACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 25.—At about 1 o'clock yesterday morning, the Japanese made a desperate attempt to blow up the entrance of the inner harbor and dock. With this object, four merchant steamers, accompanied by torpedo vessels, were sent from two sides toward the entrance of the channel. The movement was perceived by the Retvizan, which was lying in the channel, and it opened fire on them. At the same time, the guns of the forts on the Tiger peninsula, Golden Hill and Electric Cliff were turned on the enemy and a furious cannonade ensued, lasting until 5 o'clock in the morning. Then the firing slackened and became desultory. The Japanese had failed to effect their purpose.

All four steamers were sunk. They are lying in the following positions: One behind Golden Hill, one near the Retvizan, two between the entrance of the chanhel and Lao Thie Shan peninsula. Two of the vessels are still burning. The cruisers Bayan and Novik pursued the Japanese torpedo flotilla. It is said that one of the torpedo boats was sunk.

About 9 a. m. February 24 a Japanese squadron of considerable size approached Port Arthur, and the Bayan and Novik were ordered to engage the Japanese ships, which, however, did not open fire, and afterwards steamed away in the direction of Port Dalny. The cruiser Pallada has entered the dock here.

NO RUSSIAN FORCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

YINKOW, Feb. 25.—Foreign engineers on the Shan Hai Kwan (Newchwang) railroad say that according to their information there is no Russian force west of the Liao River, with the exception of a guard of twenty-five Cossacks at Koupatzou.

RUSSIANS HAD WARNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's correspondent sends the following:

CHEFOO, Feb. 25, 7:15 p.m.—Arrivals from Port Arthur report the naval engagement at the entrance of Port Arthur harbor, Tuesday after midnight. The Russians received timely warning from their torpedo-boat destroyers, which met the Japanese fleet twenty miles off Port Arthur. The Japanese fleet approached to within eight miles from the entrance and commenced the attack. The first to retaliate were the forts, followed by the warships Petropavlovsk, the Novik, the Pallade and the Askold.

The engagement lasted until nearly daylight, when the Japanese retired. I am unable to ascertain the details of the losses on both sides, but it is said that the Japanese had two ships sunk and three disabled. The Port Arthur forts had five guns silenced. The damage to the town was

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JAPS AGAIN BEATEN AT PORT ARTHUR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25. 6:40 p. m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Maj.-Gen. Pflug (the chief of staff of Viceroy Alexieff) telegraphs as follows, under today's date:

"The enemy again attacked Port Arthur from 1 to 2 a.m. and was everywhere repulsed. Details follow."

BENT UPON DESTRUCTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—Following the dispatches of Maj.-Gen. Pflug, saying the Japanese had again attacked Port Arthur Thursday morning and had been repulsed, Viceroy Alexieff has sent in an identical report to the Czar. The fact that the Japanese have renewed the attack is interpreted here to mean that they are determined to bottle up or destroy the Russian fleet at Port Arthur in order to give themselves freedom for land maneuvers to cut off or invest the city or as a feint to cover a movement elsewhere.

STOPS THE FIRING.

Capt. Wainwright of the Newark Reports His Experiences With the Dominican Scrappers--Shells Rebel Position.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS--A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The report of Capt. Richard Wainwright, commanding the Newark, regarding his recent reconnoisance about Santo Domingo, has been made public at the Navy Department. Capt. Wainwright found on his arrival at Sanches that the daughter and brother-in-law of the American consular agent both had been wounded by the same bullet in the fighting there. He wrote a letter to the commanders of the government and insurgent forces, protesting against further firing in the streets of the city or toward the houses of the inhabitants, and to make his protest effective landed a force of twenty marines and a company of bluejackets. There was no further firing.

Regarding the firing on the American ship New York by the insurgent forces, while she was unloading her cargo, Capt. Wainwright says:

"I arrived at Santo Domingo city about 10 o'clock on the morning of the 18th. The New York reported that she had entered Monte Christi, having cargo for that place, but that Gen. Morales had fired upon the fighters coming out to take his cargo. The New York went to Puerta Plata, where a written agreement was entered into between Gen. Morales and the Clyde agents that the cargo for Monte Christi, with the exception of arms and ammunition, should be deposited there in the customhouse, and later be sent overland to Monte Christi. The whole southern peninsula is in the hands of the insurgents, and Santo Domingo city is surrounded and closely invested by about twelve hundred men of the insurgent forces.

"The steamship New York arrived shortly after me, and at noon went alongside the dock in the river to unload her cargo, about nineteen hundred barrels. Capt. Miller of the Columbia had made a written agreement with the commanding generals of both forces that there would be no firing on that side of the city, while the New York was at the dock.

"The Columbia's steam launch, with a large United States flag on the bows, went into the dock preceding the New York, also flying the American flag. The insurgents from the east bank of the river fired upon the New York and upon the Columbia's steam launch.

"After consultation with Capt. Miller, and by his direction, I moved to a position directly opposite the river and shelled the east bank of the river in order to drive back into the interior all insurgents in that neighborhood, preparing the way for landing a battalion composed of the landing force of the Columbia and Newark. The battalion landed at about 4:30 o'clock. At a small town in the interior, the insurgents were found in some force under the command of Gen. José Tiburzier. The general was warned to remove his forces at once back into the interior, away from the east bank of the river and that he should not fire on the town again from that side. He signed another written agreement to that effect, and at once collected his forces and marched his men into the interior."

FORCES ARE ATTACKED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTO DOMINGO, Feb. 22.—Government forces attacked San Pedro de Macoris last Saturday. They went in small boats, with the intention of landing, but were received with a fusillade from the insurgents, which resulted in many being killed or wounded. The gunboat Presidente then bombarded the town, and inflicted much damage. The attack and the bombardment were renewed Sunday. The rebels fired on the Presidente, and damaged her about the water line. This obliged the gunboat to leave and return here.

The government gunboat Independencia arrived here this morning. The United States training ship Hartford arrived here yesterday and relieved the cruiser Columbia, which left for St. Thomas, D. W. I. This city is quiet.

TO MAKE IT RIGHT WITH LIVE-STOCK MEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—An important meeting was held here today between a committee representing the National Live-Stock Association and the freight traffic managers of railway lines centering in Chicago. The members of the live-stock association have been for some time opposed to the application of the tonnage system in the method of transporting live-stock, the opposition being on the ground that the system reduced the running time of trains and thereby caused heavy shrinkage in the weight and value of animals. The live-stock association also asked that the return pass privilege be restored to bona fide shippers, and that there be a readjustment of freight rates.

The meeting was exceedingly harmonious. During the discussion, the traffic managers conceded that the live-stock service during the past year had not been satisfactory and that representations made by the stockmen would be immediately taken up, with the assurance that there would speedily be a satisfactory adjustment. All the transportation lines running West and South were represented.

The live-stock committee consisted of W. A. Harris of Kansas; T. C. Power of Montana; M. McAfee of Texas; J. M. Allen of Nebraska; E. S. Gorney of Arizona; I. M. Humphrey of South Dakota; C. A. Adams of Nebraska; C. W. Baker of Illinois, and C. F. Martin of Colorado.

HARD FOR FARMERS.

NORTHERN PACIFIC DECISION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VANCOUVER (Wash.) Feb. 25.—The recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in awarding the "overlap lands" to the Northern Pacific Railway will affect almost 2000 persons in this county. The contested grants comprise all the odd sections in the northern and western portion of Clark county, most of it being fine timber, grazing and farming land. On this land the government has issued 1895 patents, and many of the patentees have made their homes there for years, besides improving the property.

The suit has been bitterly fought for years past, and thousands of dollars had been expended to defray the costs. Should it be impossible to make the railroad company select other lands under the lieu land act, the settlers must suffer the hardship of buying their land over again from the company, or forfeiting their farms and the improvements.

MEANS ANOTHER RATE WAR.

FRUITLESS CONFERENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER, Feb. 25.—The traffic conference, just closed, between officials of the Colorado Springs and Cripple Creek District Railway and the Denver and Southwestern Railway, owning the Midland Terminal and the Florence and Cripple Creek Railroad, competing lines in the Cripple Creek district, was, according to one who speaks with authority, without result.

The traffic agreement which expired February 1, last, was not renewed, each side demanding a greater percentage of the earnings. As a result, both sides are preparing for another rate war. The Denver and Southwestern is a New Jersey corporation, which is owned largely in New York City. About eighteen months ago, the competing lines waged a disastrous rate war, extending over a period of several months, and the bondholders of the Denver and Southwestern took over that corporation.

Ticket Scalper Arested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—A. Ottinger, a railroad cut-rate ticket agent, was arrested today for violating the injunction issued by Superior Judge Sloss last summer, restraining him from selling "scalped" tickets. He took an appeal to the Supreme Court, which was rejected today in that tribunal. Immediately upon the denial of the appeal, Ottinger was taken into custody, but was released on $300 bail.

TEN BOYS BURNED.

Tragic Climax of Ghost Story at Church Entertainment at Which Fire Added to Weirdness.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI, Feb. 25.—An accident at the Richmond-street Christian Church tonight resulted in ten children being seriously burned and others painfully burned. Seven are in the City Hospital and it is thought that many whose names were not learned were badly burned.

The Sunday-school room was crowded for an entertainment given by the pastor, Rev. Vernon Stauffer. The evening had been set apart for the small boys and a small crowd of girls gathered on the outside. The pastor was telling fairy stories. One of the stories was to have an air of mystery with ghostly scenes. In order to make the story realistic the pastor provided a kettle which had salt in the bottom of it. This was saturated with alcohol and set afire for the weird light of the ghost story.

When the boys were gathered around the fire, suddenly a draft of wind struck the stream of alcohol and an explosion followed. All those seated around the fire were burned. Beside the seven taken to the hospital, three were taken home badly burned and others not seriously injured were bandaged up and then taken home.

Those taken to the City Hospital were George Mangelo, aged 6 years; Carl Bertram, 6; Earl Carson, 12; Arthur Masser, 9; Edward Young, 12; Waldro Larkby, 15, and Walter Mergill, 12. Among those taken to their homes who were badly burned were Freddie Brennan, aged, 12; Harry Bertram, 11, and Freddie Bertram, aged 13.

ONE MANAGEMENT.

Seventeen Mexican Haciendas Consolidate, With More Than Two Millions of Acres.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

GUADALAJARA (Mex.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A big consolidation of haciendas has been consummated in the territory of Tepic, whereby seventeen properties were merged for operation under one management. More than 2,000,000 acres are included. Cotton, coffee, sugar and live stock will be among the heavy productions.

Railroads to connect with the coast and the center of the republic have been constructed.

IKONS TO THE FRONT.

MOSCOW, Feb. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The most sacred image in Russia has been sent to St. Petersburg, and it will be taken later to the Far East, with the army. The image is a representation of the Virgin appearing to Saint Sergius, and is always kept at the Troitzko monastery. It is about one foot square, and is covered with precious stones.

The image has a remarkable history. It accompanied Alexis, Peter the Great, and Alexander I on all their campaigns. A silver tablet attached to it enumerates the battles at which the ikon was present.

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WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

JAPS ENTER SIBERIA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWCHWANG, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rev. W. H. Gillespie, a missionary, has arrived here for safety, coming from Kwanchengtse, on the Manchurian railway. Other missionaries are following him. He reports the Japanese have landed at Possiet bay, in Siberia, to the south of Vladivostok and have advanced to Hunchun, which is in Manchuria, just on the border line of extreme Northeastern Korea and about twenty-five miles inland.

An official proclamation has been issued, announcing that the Russian administration has been removed from Vladivostok to Khabarousk, a Siberian town 400 miles north of Vladivostok and 200 miles from the coast. The Russian garrison at Hunchun has fled. The Japanese are marching on Kirin, Manchuria. Women and civilians are leaving that town in a panic.

PURPOSE OF THE MOVE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Possiet Bay, where the Japanese have landed, is on the Siberian tongue of land called Russian Manchuria, seventy miles south of Vladivostok. Hunchun, the Manchurian town to which the Japanese advanced, is about twenty-five miles from Possiet Bay. Kirin, the Manchurian town on which they are marching, is an important point, the terminus of an eighty-mile branch of the Siberian Railway running from Kwangchengtse, which is about half way between Mukden and Harbin. The Japanese purpose in this move seems to be to cut the Russian military lines in Manchuria in the middle, keeping off reinforcements and supplies while they deal with the Czar's troops at Port Arthur, Dalny, Newchwang and other points in Southern Manchuria.

COSSACKS ON PATROL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWCHWANG, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Cossack regiment is patrolling to the west of the Liao River, and a collision with the Imperial Chinese troops who are guarding the Shanhaikwan-Newchang Railway is feared. Foreign engineers on the railroad, however, say that, according to their information, there is no Russian force west of the Liao River except a guard of twenty-five Cossacks at Koupantzou. Several military officers are here at Newchwang, waiting for permission to accompany Russian troops into the field to observe military operations. They have been informed that it will be impossible to grant such permission until the middle of March.

MASSACRE OF VILLAGERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWCHWANG, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Russians took terrible vengeance on villagers near the Sungai River, after an attempt had been made to wreck the bridge. The troops burned one large village to the ground and massacred the inhabitants, including women and children.

JAP CRUISERS AT SHANGHAI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—In a cablegram from Shanghai, a correspondent of the Daily Mail reports the arrival there of the Japanese cruisers Idzumo, Suma and Akitsushima.

PROTECTING HER WAR CHEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan is taking precautions to insure the strength of her war chest. Baron Suyematsu, late Minister of the Interior under Marquis Ito, whose son-in-law he is, has sailed for England to undertake negotiations there. Baron Kaneko, who was minister of Justice under Marquis Ito, accompanied by Vice-President Takahashi of the Bank of Japan, has headed a similar mission to America.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The weather was moderately cold, and a light snow fell. Maximum temperature, 21; minimum, 13. Middle West temperatures: Bismarck, 0; Cairo, 48; Cheyenne, 48; Cincinnati, 26; Cleveland, 8; Concordia, 32; Davenport, 14; Denver, 62; Des Moines, 18; Detroit, 12; Dodge, 52; Dubuque, 16; Duluth, 0; Edmonton, 6; Escanaba, 2; Grand Rapids, 12; Green Bay, 8; Helena, 16; Huron, 8; Indianapolis, 22; Kansas City, 38; Lander, 46; Marquette, 8; Milwaukee, 12; Minnedosa, 2 below; Moorhead, 0; North Platte, 32; Omaha, 18; Rapid City, 16; St. Louis, 34; St. Paul, 6; St. Ste. Marie, 4; Springfield, Ill., 26; Springfield, Mo., 52; Wichita, 62.

CROWS GET DESPERATE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ELKHART (Ind.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The long winter has shut off the usual food supply of the great rookery of crows, a few miles north of this city. The farmers of the neighborhood are compelled to watch their live stock and frighten away from the cattle the large flocks of hungry birds which swoop down on the animals and inflict painful injuries. One cow died of injuries.

BETSY ROSS'S GRANDDAUGHTER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Living in Fort Madison, Iowa, is a little woman, Mrs. Rachel Albright, who is always proud and happy to tell you that she is the granddaughter of the famous Betsy Ross, who made the first "Old Glory." Mrs. Albright is 91 years old, but she still carries on the family business of making flags.

NEBRASKA STUDENT DISGRACED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chancellor Andrews has requested the father of Walter W. Lesh, right-guard on the Nebraska football team, to have his son withdraw from the university. It is said the request will be complied with. According to the statement made tonight by the university authorities, Lesh last Monday was detected in the act of abstracting a pocketbook from the clothing of a fellow-student in the gymnasium, while the latter was engaged in gymnastic work.

MOB LAW AT DISCOUNT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TERRE HAUTE (Ind.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ten of the ringleaders in the mob which threatened to lynch Jerry Duggins, the triple murderer, Tuesday night, are in jail, and the grand jury is preparing indictments. The men are police characters, and will be a good riddance. Terre Haute is surprised at finding its law officers and sentiment radically changed since the lynching of Ward two years ago. There was no determined resistence, as in the Duggins case, and although ringleaders were as well-known as the ones now in jail, no arrests were made. On the contrary, the suggestion that they be prosecuted was ridiculed. Now the officers are commended on all sides.

ACCUSES THE PRESIDENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS (La.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mayor Paul Capdevielle balked when requested to invite the President to attend the Southern Good Roads Association, to be held here April 6 and 7. He said the people of New Orleans and Louisiana had suffered great humiliation and discourtesy at the hands of the President when he was invited to attend the big Louisiana Centennial celebration here last December.

THEATER MANAGER ARRESTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charged with violating the child labor law by employing four children in "Her Own Way," now on the boards at the Illinois theater, Business Manager M. A. Yack was arrested during the performance this evening by an officer from Justice Wolff's court on complaint of Chief Factory Inspector Edgar T. Dafies. Yack gave $500 bonds for his appearance tomorrow morning, and announced that he would fight the case to the end, with habeas corpus proceedings as a probable preliminary.

IOWA TRAINS COLLIDE.

Fireman and Three Stockmen Killed and Three Stockmen Injured. Wreck Takes Fire.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 25.—The front section of a fast stock and freight train ran into the rear end of another stock and freight train on the Chicago, Great Western Railroad tonight, just out of Dyersville. Fireman E. W. Griswold of the rear train was killed. Three stockmen on the front section were killed and their bodies cremated. Their names were not known, and will have to be learned from the stock shipment record.

Three other stockmen who were riding in the caboose of the first section were badly injured. The wreck caught fire, and the caboose and a refrigerator car were burned.

FORGOT ABOUT ISLE OF PINES.

HAVANA, Feb. 25.—The lapsing of the Isle of Pines treaty on account of its not being ratified within the time limit is regarded here to be mainly due to the fact that the State Department at Washington did not call attention to the matter. Persons interested in securing American sovereignty for the Isle of Pines are jubilant over the lapse, considering it to be a setback which gives promise of the defeat of the proposition that the island remain under Cuban sovereignty.

SENATOR QUAY'S HEALTH.

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) Feb. 25.—Inquiry tonight as to the condition of Senator Quay of Pennsylvania, who was reported ill at St. Lucie, Fla., brought the response that the Senator's health has been much improved since coming to Florida.

John Phillips of New York, secretary of the national organization of hatters of North America, and well known in labor circles throughout the country is dead, aged 67 years.

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OUTLAW STILES IS CAPTURED.

Taken in San Jose Mountains West of Naco.

Stated That He Gave Away Alvord to Get Money.

High Water Drives People Out—Shot by Mexican.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Billy Stiles and his Indiana friends are securely surrounded in the hills about twenty-five miles from Naco. Sheriff Lewis and other officers are on the trail. News that Stiles and the Mexicans were in San Jose country, having been received from various sources, posses were sent out to cut off any means of escape. Peculiar stories are circulating on the street. It has been reported that Sheriff Lewis took Alvord back to the scene of the shooting at Young's ranch the morning after that event, stayed there some time, although Alvord was in great pain, and finally returned to Naco. It is given out that they made the trip in order to search for the gold in bullion which Alvord and Stiles took from Tener of Magdalena. The sheriff says they did not find the bullion, but the place where it had been buried was dug up. The supposition was that Stiles had returned during the night after the shooting and lifted the treasure. Many now do not believe the story; they do not think Stiles would have the courage to go back to the scene of action. There is something of a mystery about this, which will soon be cleared. It is understood that Fred Smith of the O. K. Stables furnished the information which resulted in the capture of Alvord and that he is in possession of $1000, given as reward. Alvord was with the party when the capture was made. He was also close to the vaqueros of the surrounding country and probably got a tip from them. The report reached here late that Stiles had been captured by Sheriff Lewis's posse in the San José Mountains, west of Naco.

BRINGS JAPANESE GOLD.

TO PAY FOR WAR SUPPLIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The steamer Doric, which arrived today from the Orient, brought in her specie tank Japanese gold yen amounting to $1,500,000 in American gold. Much of this money was sent here in payment of supplies for the army and navy of Japan that had been purchased in the past few months.

Aboard in the hold of the steamer were about 550 tons of merchandise that will make up the bulk of the Chinese exhibit at the St. Louis Fair. Among the passengers was F. E. Carl, commissioner of the Chinese Imperial customs service, who will have charge of the exhibit. With him are Pierre Dubois, A Berthet, also of the Chinese customs services, and L. Y. Ohki, a prominent merchant of Shanghai.

Ohki, an attaché of the Japanese legation at Washington, was also a passenger on the steamer. He is returning to his post after an extended visit to Europe and Asia, in the diplomatic service of his country. There are several other Japanese government officials on board.

CRIME LAID ON WOOD.

VERDICT IN ROGERS INQUEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OAKLAND, Feb. 25.—The Coroner's jury this afternoon in the matter of the death of La Verne Rogers returned in a verdict as follows: "That he died as resulted from a gun shot wound inflicted by Cyrus Wood, near Capay, on or about Saturday, February 20."

The inquest was held in the city hall, which to accommodate the crowd which clamored for admittance, the Coroner's office being too small. The most important part of the testimony was that given by Drs. Lawhead and Blevin, who performed the autopsy on the body this morning. The testimony of both was that the bullet entered the back of the head, near the ear, and ranged forward. The testimony also indicated that Rogers was shot twice, the other wound being in the left forearm.

This is contrary to the statement made by Wood, just before his arrest, as he claimed that Rogers had shot at him and that the bullet entered the face between the eyes. It was proved also by expert testimony that the rifle used by Wood was a .303 Savage and was loaded with soft-pointed cartridges, which fact tends strongly to corroborate the theory of the District Attorney that Rogers was shot from behind as the wound back of the ear was small and clean, and in front was frightfully torn and ragged.

FLOODS FORCE FAMILIES OUT.

HEAVY RAINFALL RAISES RIVERS UP THE STATE.

Orchard Lands Submerged to a Depth of Five Feet and Country Open Sea—Continuous Three Days' Downpour at Stockton—Weather Predictions.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BIGGS, Feb. 25.—Early this morning, half the residence portion of Biggs, and for a distance of several miles in nearly every direction, was covered with water from a depth of a few inches to several feet. In the northern part of East Biggs many dwellings and barns were surrounded by water and in a few instances the water ran into the houses, when families were moved out. Looking toward Gridley and Marysville, to the south, as far as the eye could reach, at dawn, the country appeared an open sea. The high water was caused by an overflow of Feather River. All the orchard lands of Rio Bonito, east of town, were submerged to a depth of from one to five feet. The water commenced receding about 3 a. m.

The rainfall up to 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon registered 5.08 inches for the month and 13.23 for the season. But little damage is apprehended.

THREE DAYS' DOWNPOUR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 25.—Fears are expressed of a flood similar to that of last year unless the rain ceases. There has been an almost continuous downpour for three days and the channels and waterways are running nearly full. Miner Channel raised six inches in an hour this morning and is still rising. Reports from Calaveras River and Mormon Channel, to the east, are that the water is exceedingly high and some of the lowlands along the banks are partly submerged. While there is no immediate danger of a flood the continued rain is causing much anxiety.

MAKES THE GRASS GROW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 25.—The south wind yesterday brought rain which fell lightly during the night, but is falling steadily now. The weather is mild, grass and grain are growing rapidly and prospects are excellent for root and summer crops.

WEATHER PROSPECTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The recent storm has moved to the southeast, according to the Weeather Bureau. At the same time, the rain belt has moved to the south, bringing showers to Southern California.

At 10 o'clock this morning, .25 of an inch of rain had fallen in San Luis Obispo. Lighter rain has fallen in San Diego, as well, and present indications are that light showers will continue for the next few days.

The river at Sacramento is now 2.72 feet above the normal and is steadily rising. The Weather Bureau officials say that if the weather continues for thirty-six hours, the chances are that the present flood will go down without causing much trouble. At Marysville, the river reached the twenty-foot stage, As eighteen feet is the ordinary limit there, some damage by washouts is anticipated.

WATER FAST FALLING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 25.—Streams in the vicinity of Stockton are not dangerously full and water is fast falling. Out at Woodbridge, in the northern section of the county, levees on Mokelumne River broke today and water is pouring over the grain lands, but it is not believed the damage will be heavy as cross levees will turn the water into falling streams.

STAGES CUT OFF.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GLENVILLE, Feb. 25.—Warm rain falling on snow for three days, ending last night, is resulting in the highest water known in Plumas county for many years. Stage communication with adjoining towns is cut off and resumption of mail service is indefinite. No accidents have been reported, but damage to roads and bridges is probably great.

RECORD AT MILTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MILTON, Feb. 25.—One and twenty-hundredths inches of rain fell here during the storm, making a total of 11.54 inches for the season, which is well in advance of the record for the corresponding time last season. The mountain streams were nearly impassable yesterday, but waters have subsided today.

SUSPECTS IN SALINAS COURT.

HAVE KEYS TO SWITCHES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SALINAS, Feb. 25.—The two men arrested here for robbing passengers on trains today denied having stolen a watch, despite the fact that they had confessed doing so before several persons. They were in court to plead, and their preliminary hearing was set for tomorrow.

Daniel Roberts, who now calls himself Charles Robert, is about 26 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches tall, of florid complexion, with a small brown mustache, light brown hair, hazel eyes and projecting eyebrows. H. M. Palck is about 23 or 24 years of age, 6 feet 1 or 2 inches tall, with sharp features and a thin nose. He has dark brown hair, covering a low forehead, blue eyes and a sallow complexion. Both men are strangers here, but are thought to be from San Francisco.

The keys to the railroad switches found on the men are supposed from marks thereon to belong to the San Joaquin divisions of the railroad companies.

FAVOR ARIZONA SHOOTING.

CARNIVAL COMPANY'S RECORD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A negro belonging to the Dixie Carnival Company, today shot Al Eaton in the Turf saloon at Globe in a row over 25 cents. He is the second member of the Dixie Carnival Company to shoot a man in Arizona lately.

LIGHTNING HITS LIGHTHOUSE.

DESTRUCTION ON DESTRUCTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 25.—A special to the Evening Telegram from Astoria (Or.) says that during the great storm which visited the North Pacific Coast last Monday and which was accompanied by severe electrical displays, the government lighthouse station at Destruction Island was nearly wiped out of existence. During the height of the storm, which appeared to center over the island, a bolt of lightning struck the main edge of the station and shattered a portion of it. No lives were lost, although the occupants were stunned by the shock. Temporary repairs have been made, so that the light can be seen.

MEXICAN MURDERS SHERIFF.

TALK OF LYNCHING NOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As a result of a strike among Mexicans at the Black Diamond mines, at Pearce, Sheriff Arthur Wright was today shot to death by a drunken Mexican he had imprisoned. There is talk of lynching.

KILLED BY EARTHQUAKE.

DEAD BESIDE HIS BED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, Feb. 25.—Clarence V. Hatfield, whose home is at 240 Shotwell street, San Francisco, and who was committed to the Agnews insane asylum, was found dead beside his bed in an attitude of prayer this morning. It is supposed that he was alarmed by a slight shock of earthquake and sprang from his bed. The death occurred between midnight and 1 o'clock, while the ward attendant was at supper. He was well connected and leaves a widow in San Francisco.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Extensive floods have occurred along Amundare River in Turkestan. The city of Peroalod was the main sufferer, many buildings being overturned and many inhabitants killed.

CATALONIA CYCLONE'S WORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADRID, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A cyclone blew down the high tower at Reus, Catalonia, today. The débris crashed into two boarding houses and a number of persons were buried in the ruins.

DAMAGED BY EARTHQUAKE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Great damage was done today in Aquilia province by an earthquake.

GREETINGS TO SCOVIL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALBANY, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Senate today adopted the following resolutions: "Resolved, That the Senate sends greetings and congratulations to Hon. Carlos P. Scovil of Louisville, State Senator in 1843-46, on his one hundredth birthday February 26, 1904, with sincere expression of their desire for many returns of the day."

FIGHT FOR WHITNEY MILLIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Almeric Paget, son-in-law of the late W. C. Whitney, sailed from Southhampton yesterday. His wife, who was cut off with one-tenth of the Whitney millions, will meet the vessel on which her husband embarked at Cherbourg. They are bound for New York to fight, it is believed, for a larger share of the Whitney estate.

BRYAN SAID, LAST NIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. J. Bryan said tonight: "I think the chances of the Democracy have improved. I still believe the only chance of a reunited Democracy is for those who have turned aside from the principles as last laid down to return."

RUSSIANS FALLING BACK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The total strength of the Russian troops now in Korea does not exceed 1000. They are gradually falling back in the direction of the Yalu River before the Japanese advance. Russians in Manchuria are seriously hampered by the scarcity of coolies and by the activity of mounted bandits.

KOREA ON THE FENCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One thousand Russian troops have arrived at Tong Wu and 500 at Kanson. The Korean government has accordingly changed front in expectation of Japanese reverses, and is attempting to ride the fence so as to be prepared to get off on one side or the other, as the tide of battle may go. It refused the use of an old palace to the Japanese troops.

TELEGRAPH LINES CUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All Korean telegraph lines have been cut by the Japanese. The Emperor of Korea is expecting a Japanese reverse and is vacillating in his allegiance. He has refused the use of the old palaces to the Japanese troops.

JAPAN'S VICEROYALTY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan has instituted a viceroyalty in Korea. This logically follows the assumption of a protectorate. Mr. Tokugawa has been appointed resident in Seoul and Mr. Kato has been named as vice-resident.

LABOR.

LEGALIZE SAM PARKSISM.

Light of Day on Aims of Anti-Conspiracy Bill.

Hearing Before House Committee on Judiciary.

Strike at Rawhide Gold Mine. Garment Workers Quit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The House Committee on Judiciary today resumed its hearing on the anti-conspiracy bill. Daniel Davenport of Bridgeport, Ct., was the first speaker. He said he was the executive agent of the American Anti-Boycott Association, an organization formed to enforce the laws, particularly those against boycotting. He also represents the Chicago Building Contractors' Council, the National Building Employers' Association and the Citizens' Industrial Alliance of the United States.

He said the position taken by advocates of the bill was extraordinary, in that someone was asking the repeal of a law which has been in existence ever since the Anglo-Saxon race, while nobody but Samuel Gompers—"and he says he is not a lawyer, but a horny-handed son of toil"—has been able to advance any reason why such a remarkable law should be enacted by Congress.

So we are shelling the woods to find out where its advocates stand. Passage of this bill will make lawful outrageous and un-American agreements now in force between associations, employers and labor unions by which a non-member of the association or a non-member of the union can be excluded and the public fleeced," he said. "It legalizes Sam Parksism, because just such extortion is made possible and lawful by the terms of this bill, and it will take away from the States the right to punish criminal acts like boycotting."

He devoted some time to a review of the Federal adjudications upon matters sought to be covered by the bill, and said that the American Federation of Labor was a great organization systematically engaged in doing the very thing which the courts had universally condemned as unlawful.

"It is an organization composed of a great number of unions banded together for the purpose of aiding, assisting, declaring and enforcing boycotts against those employers who may happen to come under its ban; and this is the kind of organization which has fostered, originated and is now advocating the passage of this bill."

He read from the declaration of principles of numerous constituent organizations of the American Federation of Labor and condemned them as Socialistic and pernicious.

DESTROYING LIBERTY.

"If organized for the purpose of making better workmen, improving individual environment or advancing the cause of civilization, I myself and those I represent would be in favor of labor unions," he said, "but in their practical workings they are not of that character. Most of them are Socialistic, teaching doctrines which disregard the rights of others as equally entitled to the protection of the law with theirs; instilling in the minds of the working classes of the country a spirit of hostility against those who control the production of the country; destroying the liberty of contract between employer and employé; putting a premium on disloyalty and crime, and bringing public reproach and disgrace upon our courts, not only by defying their mandates and injunctions, but by publicly, in the journals and in every other way, uttering most abusive statements against judges who endeavor to enforce the law.

"The great problem before the American people today—greater than slavery and secession ever was—is the recovery of the right of every man to run his own business according to the dictates of his own judgment and the right of every man with labor to sell to dispose of it to whomever he desires, whether he belongs to a union or not.

"This question is today gnawing like a cancer at the vitals of society. Let us not permit sophistry or sentiment to mislead us, for we can change our cooking, our style of dress, or even our system of government, but not the relations of employer and employé."

WOULD INVALIDATE LAWS.

He said there is no such thing as peaceful picketing and recounted many experiences he had personally gone through in this regard. He argued that the passage of this law would preclude all possibility of breaking boycotts and thus it would invalidate the Sherman anti-trust law and certain provisions of the Interstate Commerce Act.

"There are three things which stink in the nostrils of the American people today," he said, "the boycott, combinations between associations, employers and unions, by which a man not in the combination is ruined and a man not in the union is deprived of his opportunity to earn his livelihood; and grafts, all of which would, in effect, be legalized by the passage of this bill."

He said one argument advanced by labor unions which he desired most earnestly to combat was this: Because some Federal judge had exceeded the power given him by the law, in the issuance of an injunction or restraining order, therefore the power of injunction should be taken away from all Federal courts, in the particular class of cases contemplated by the bill. This he characterized as too absurd even to be dignified by a reply. In conclusion he said:

"Whatever you do, gentlemen, don't place upon your children and upon the generations to come the stigma of this iniquitous measure, aimed to legalize every form of anarchy and lawlessness that can be conceived in the minds of the leaders of organized labor; don't compel owners of property in this great land of ours to resort to the rifle, the bayonet or the policeman's club to protect their property and their lives, but leave this writ as it now is in the hands of able and conscientious jurists, who know and are capable of enforcing the law for the benefit of the laborer as well as his employer."

REIGN OF TERROR.

Judge Reese Blizzard of Parkersburg, W. Va., representing practically all the mining companies of the upper Monongahela Valley, West Virginia, and general counsel for the combined interests of the Wabash Railway Company in that State, followed Mr. Davenport, with a vivid picture of the crime and anarchy which reigned in his section during the mining troubles there a few years ago. He said he could furnish the testimony of eyewitness to many transactions that occurred there then.

He vigorously assailed Mr. Gompers for his criticism of the action taken by Judge Jackson of the United States District Court, and Judge Goff, of the United States Circuit Court, when appeals against strike litigation reached their respective courts on writs of injunction and contempt proceedings that followed. He argued against the enactment of the bill into law and said it sought to create a right that never existed in the history of civilization and could only be desired by those who might violate the law of the land.

TROUBLE AT RAWHIDE MINE.

TROOPS MAY BE CALLED OUT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 25.—Word comes from Jamestown that trouble is feared at the Rawhide gold mine near that town, where a strike of miners has been on for a week. Capt. Nevills owns the property and has placed guards around the mine to keep the strikers away. Non-union miners brought in to work are met at Jamestown by miners' committeemen and turned back, but Nevills has enough to run the mine and promises to start up this week. He may call for State troops if strikers show a disposition to fight him.

ABANDONS HIS APPEAL.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 25.—Martin Murphy, the Democratic candidate who was declared elected County Auditor at the last general election, but who was defeated on a recount in the Superior Court, by his Republican competitor, W. F. Parker, chiefly by the throwing out of "no-nomination" ballots, has abandoned his appeal to the Supreme Court and will tomorrow morning turn the office over to Parker.

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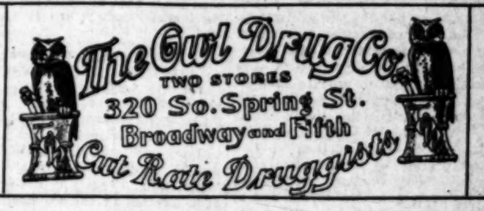

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THE FAR EAST.

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serious. One shell struck amid the the anchorage of junks, blowing many to atoms. The Newsky works and the engine works were struck three times. Several shells fell just short of the arsenal, but stuck in the mud wall surrounding it, doing no damage. Judging from this, the Japanese evidently attempted to destroy the arsenal. Several guards were killed by bursting shells. Civilians took refuge in the new part of Port Arthur.

BOTTLING WORK UNSUCCESSFUL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEFOO, Thursday, 9:30 a.m.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese tried to sink two transports at the entrance to Port Arthur the night of February 22, but the plan miscarried. The two ships were sunk outside the entrance, one being stranded. The Japanese bombarded ineffectively. Five thousand men are now working day and night strengthening the defenses of the garrison, which is 30,000 strong and well provisioned. The Japanese have no chance of success. Three merchant steamers are still at Port Arthur.

CZAR'S CONGRATULATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—The Czar has telegraphed warm congratulations to Viceroy Alexieff and the entire Russian squadron at Port Arthur on the able manner in which they repulsed the latest attack of the Japanese.

RETVIZAN AND CZAREVITCH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—The battleships Retvizan and Czarevitch will be temporarily employed at Port Arthur as guardships, in which capacity it has been decided their formidable guns can be utilized to good advantage. It has been found that the necessary repairs to these ships can only be fully made in the dock at Vladivostok, so the vessels will be temporarily patched up and remain at Port Arthur until circumstances will permit of their being sent to Vladivostok.

TORPEDO BOATS UNINJURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—6:05 p.m.—The British Foreign Office has received an official dispatch saying that not one of the Japanese torpedo boats was injured in the attack on Port Arthur Wednesday, February 24.

YI YONG-IK JAPANNED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, Feb. 25.—Yi Yong-Ik, who was formerly Minister of War and practically the dictator of Korea, and considered a friend of Russia, has been taken by the Japanese at Chemulpo and on the same night was put on board of a warship which took him to Japan. He went on board in court dress.

RUSSIANS CUT WIRES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, Feb. 25.—Russian videttes advanced south of Anju have cut the telegraph wires between Anju and Ping Yang.

RUSSIA'S BALTIC SQUADRON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—It is now said that the Russian Baltic squadron, comprising eight battleships, two armored cruisers, three protected cruisers, two large transports and thirty torpedo boats, will leave for the Far East at the end of June. It is added that it will be commanded by Rear-Admiral Rojestvensky.

TORPEDO BOAT ATTACK.

HOBSON DRAWS A MORAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Capt. Richard Hobson said tonight:

"The Japanese operation at Port Arthur was an attempt, on a large scale, to destroy the vessels in Port Arthur and to block the harbor, a combination of torpedo-boat attack with an effort like the one at Santiago and the one of Somers at Tripoli. Ther would seem to be this difference, however, the large vessels were proably intended to produce consternation by burning inflammables before sinking, and in this consternation the flotilla of torpedo boats were to do their work of destruction.

"One or more of the largest vessels may have been designed to destroy the Retvizan and also to set fire to the shipping in the harbor, if the tide was running in, something like the fire ships used by the South on the rivers during the Civil War.

"Some of the torpedo boats attempted to direct the fire of the Retvizan in ord - that the rest of the expedition might succeed, for there could have been but little advantage in torpedoing the Retvizan a second time. If this was the case, it was a beautiful example of sacrifice, a certain loss for the frail craft.

"The determinate factor that caused the failure of the enterprise was doubtless the fire of the Retvizan, combined with efficient picket boats and lookout vessels, thus demonstrating the power of a battleship's secondary battery, when efficiently manned, against torpedo vessels."

EXPECTS THIRD ATTACK.

ST. PETERSBURG GUESSING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In a dispatch from St. Petersburg, a correspondent of the Echo de Paris says the last, or reported second attack, of the Japanese at Port Arthur was repulsed brilliantly. He says the Japanese were obliged to quit the roadstead. It is presumed that the entire squadron joined in the second attack, hoping to avenge the repulse of the preceding day. The Japanese are thought to have incurred further losses during this long fight. Admiral Stark has telegraphed that he expects a third attack. Continuing, the correspondent says that Gen. Kuropatkin has started for home to take leave of his mother before going to the Far East and he quoted the general as having said.

"This war may last eighteen months, but every arrangement has been made that no Japanese after being landed, shall return to his country."

TEN NURSES TO JAPAN.

QUAKER CITY RED CROSS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—The Philadelphia branch of the Red Cross Society, independent of the national society, will send ten nurses to Japan, in charge of Dr. Anaita McGee of Washington. This was decided upon at a meeting of the Philadelphia association held in Independence Hall today, when a resolution was adopted binding the local association to raise a fund of $5000 by voluntary contributions on condition that the expedition will go under the auspices of the Philadelphia Society.

The selection of the nurses will be left to Dr. McGee. Only those who have seen active service in war will be accepted. The nurses will be under the direction of the Japanese government, which has already accepted the service of the Red Cross Society.

WILL SEND HER LAST MAN.

BARON SUYEMATSU TALKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 25.—Baron Suyematsu arrived here today, a passenger on the Iyo Maru, being en route to London, on an important diplomatic mission. Discussing the war, the Baron said:

"It is for us a gigantic struggle and one which we tried to avoid. But Japan will send her last man and will expend her last dollar in order to win. We have no aspirations for aggrandizement, but at the same time we must look out to maintain our existence as a nation.

"We have large political and commercial interests as well as a sacred historical connection with the Korean peninsula. If Korea falls into the hands of any other nation, it will be a death blow to the existence of our empire. We respect the integrity and sovereignty of Korea; we fought China ten years ago solely for the independence of the Korean kingdom. Now we are fighting Russia for the same principles and more for the integrity of China, as well. If Manchuria falls to Russia the question of existence of Korea would be one of but a few days. She would take Korea and that would be a constant menace to our empire."

EVEN THE PORTUGUESE FEEL WAR'S EFFECTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's correspondent sends the following:

BERLIN, Thursday—Dispatches from Lisbon to the Vossische Zeitung state that the alliance with Great Britain imposes at present heavy burdens on Portugal. Not only are new rifles being served to the army in all haste, but a representative of the Krupp firm is at present at Lisbon, instructing artillery officers in the handling of the recently-purchased field artillery. Coast defenses are being overhauled in Lisbon, Fayal and Lagos, which could serve as naval stations for the British fleet. Telegrams from Amsterdam state that everything is ready for the mobilization of the Dutch army. All leave is refused to officers.

AUSTRIA AND THE BALKANS.

BERLIN, Thursday—I have received information from a trustworthy source which indicates that Austria expects to have to intervene in the Balkans in coöperation with Russia. Orders have been issued to prepare for the mobilization of the army. Commanders of the army corps have been told to grant no leave to officers, and horses liable to requisition have been called in and military, railway and transport officers have been already appointed.

SWEDEN AND DENMARK.

BERLIN, Thursday.—Dispatches from Stockholm announce that the Swedish and Danish Foreign Offices are revising the neutrality regulations which were drawn up in 1885, when war was expected between Russia and England. When this is completed, it will be submitted to England and Russia for their approval. The Swedish government in view of the Russo-Japanese war, has proclaimed Stockholm and Carlskron military ports.

INVOLVING ENGLAND.

ST. PETERSBURG, Thursday.—The active preparations of Denmark and Sweden, combined with the recent presence here of a special messenger of the Kaiser, is taken as representing what the Herald has foretold weeks ago. In case England becomes involved in the war, the Baltic will be closed by the smaller powers, under the agreement and protection of Germany.

England was aimed at directly in the late Russian note concerning the independence of Korea. The Novoe Vremya takes up the matter, saying: "England keeps silent now, when Russia demands the recognition of the independence of Korea, but will howl loudly when the time arrives, which will surely come, that Russia begins to drive the Japanese back. If England does not declare herself, Russia will have full right to consider the Anglo-Japanese treaty as directly against herself."

JAPANESE THINK THEY HOLD KOREA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 24.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Three weeks ago, it was thought in some quarters here that the opening of the war would be quickly followed by a movement of the Russian forces toward the south, Ping Yang being picked as their objective point. The appearance later of Russian scouts in the vicinity of Wiju tended to confirm this opinion and created an impression that there would be an early conflict in that vicinity.

If the Russians ever intended to make this movement, they have apparently been beaten by the rapidly-moving Japanese. The latter are said to have a sufficient force to check the Russians, thus insuring the possession of Korea as soon as they are capable of making an aggressive northern movement themselves. The small bodies of mounted Russians who were scouting south of the Yalu River speedily withdrew to the north.

Storms are interfering with naval operations. The Yellow Sea is being swept by gales, heavy snow is falling and the weather is bitterly cold. The forces of Japan are going to the front splendidly equipped to withstand the cold, but despite their preparations, both sides will suffer much during the next sixty days.

PORT ARTHUR'S WEAKNESS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 23.—Advices are hourly anticipated here of the third naval engagement which has taken place at Port Arthur. It was known that the fleet under command of Admiral Togo has been in motion, but the nature of the operation about to be undertaken had not been disclosed to the Navy Department. It is thought here that Admiral Togo first attacked with his torpedo boats and then shelled Port Arthur. The opinion expressed by the foreign ministry here is, however, almost united against the ability of the Japanese troops to shell the place without dangerous exposure to the heavy guns in the shore batteries.

The Japanese, however are confident that the place is vulnerable at three points on the sea side, and point in proof of their opinions the explosion of a number of shells in the town upon the occasion of the night fight. The Japanese once possessed Port Arthur, and they have the most complete information in regard to the distances and ranges. A bombardment of the place should prove highly destructive, as it is narrow and cramped. A few shells thrown over the hills into the basin holding the bay and town could not fail to do serious execution. As the Japanese shells are charged with a high explosive and are very effective, it is believed possible to render the harbor untenable for Russian warships by the bombardment, and force them to put to sea and fight in the open.

It is thought there that the withdrawal of Admiral Alexieff from Port Arthur and the removal of headquarters and records to Harbin is an admission of the weakness of the place and of its inability to make a sustained defense. It is evident that the Japanese intend to make vigorous onslaught on Port Arthur. Its possession would deprive the Russians of a naval base and insure the Japanese a base for future operations on the Lao Tung Peninsula.

STAY OF MANDJUR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 25.—The question of the stay of the Russian gunboat Mandjur at Shanghai remains unsettled. Paul Lessar, Russian Minister to China, is said to be trying to intimidate the Chinese government in the matter, declaring emphatically that Japan has little chance of victory against a Russian army 500,000 strong. The court at Peking is vacillating on this question. Russia is also pressing China to declare the neutrality of that portion of the empire which Russia already occupies.

The price of saki, the popular Japanese drink, is rising on account of the scant supply. It is said that California wine may be substituted for saki.

PRAISE FOR THE RETVIZAN.

GALLANT WORK OF RUSSIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—[By Alantic Cable.] Great praise is given to the Russian battleship Retvizan, which lay outside the harbor entrance, for gallant work in beating off the enemy yesterday. Her part in the action shows that the reports of the injuries which she is said to have sustained in the attack of February 8, were grossly exaggerated.

The official dispatches do not make clear the exact number of ships sent in for the purpose of blockading the throat of the harbor, or whether the four vessels destroyed were beached by the fire from the shore batteries or by the fire of the Retvizan. Consequently, also, the unknown additional details are expected from Viceroy Alexieff in the course of the day. As he is at Mukden, the report of the commander at Port Arthur first goes to him, and then is forwarded to the Czar. The report that after daylight floating torpedoes were seen in the roadstead causes anxiety.

According to the latest advices, the Japanese fleet yesterday was still visible on the horizon. The news of the Japanese repulse was received here with great rejoicing, and was looked upon as partially wiping out the score against the enemy. The official bulletins were given out too late for editorial comment, but the news of the initial success of the Russian arms was prominently displayed. Not one of the newspapers here has yet received special dispatches giving the news of the Japanese repulse.

UNDERSTANDING WITH GERMANY.

There is a growing belief here that an understanding exists between Russia and Germany relative to the developments from the war, and the diplomats are giving more attention to the likelihood of other powers becoming involved. France's enormous financial investments in Russian funds and enterprises are estimated at close to $2,000,000,000, and it is feared that in case of Russian reverses which might threaten the empire, France might be compelled to go to the support of her ally. There are suspicions of the motives of Great Britain here, of a character to cause complications in that direction.

It is strongly intimated that the return of the Russian Ambassador to Great Britain, Count Benckendorff, to St. Petersburg was not solely to bid farewell to his son previous to the latter's reparture for the Far East with his regiment, but that it was also to consult with the Russian Foreign Office relative to the British expedition to Thibet.

The government is angry at the language used by Foreign Minister Lansdowne, as printed in the recent British blue-book, on the subject of Thibet, and Ambassador Benckendorff may receive instructions to reply in kind, if exchanges on the subject continue.

The conditions in the Balkans are also considered extremely critical, and altogether the diplomatic feeling is that if the danger of a general conflagration is to be avoided, every energy should be directed, not only to limiting the sphere of operations, but toward an attempt at mediation.

They are discussing the subject with great seriousness. It is not believed that Russia will be disposed, while smarting under the humiliation of defeat, to adopt mediation, but once a decisive victory is achieved, the diplomats are inclined to believe that, owing to the Czar's sincere aversion to war, he will welcome good offices.

The Novoe Vreyma declares Great Britain's failure to protest against the violation of the neutrality of Korea, whose inviolability was guaranteed by the Anglo-Japanese treaty, proves that the treaty was directed solely against Russia.

Some old believers in the schismatics of 300 years ago, who are among the wealthiest Russians, show a disposition to place a vast sum at the disposal of the government if the occasion requires. Scores of millionaires are among them at Moscow, where they enjoy valuable concessions granted by Catherine the Great. As they are not believers in banks, the money would have to come out of their private strong-boxes.

A special dispatch from Port Arthur says Peking and Tien-tsin report that there is a considerable dissatisfaction in Chinese circles at the neutrality of China, and that the Japanese Minister, M. Ouchida, is trying to force China to side with Japan.

It is asserted that Yuan Shi Kai, the Chinese commander-in-chief, is under Japanese influence, and that he secretly recommended an alliance between China and Japan, on the ground that if Japan gets Korea she would not take Manchuria.

AGAINST A PROTECTORATE.

BRITISH SEAMEN'S GENEROSITY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—A special dispatch from Hongkong says the British Admiralty officials are serving out clothing to the Russian sailors rescued at Chemulpo and that the crews of the vessels forming part of the squadron have given half a day's pay to provide luxuries for the Russian wounded.

POWERS QUESTION JAPAN'S ACT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It is the belief in the highest official quarters that the powers will support the Russian view of the invalidity of the Japanese treaty with Korea, so far as it creates a Japanese protectorate over Korea, owing to the Emperor being under duress; but it is said that no immediate action on the part of the powers is required, as the question of the recognition of the protectorate will definitely arise when the terms of peace are considered.

In the meantime, official opinion is strongly sympathetic with Russia's position, and it is considered that Russia's note to the powers protesting against Japan's violation of Korean neutrality fully protects international rights as the protest antedates the official announcement of the conclusion of the treaty. The Foreign Office considers the announcement confirmatory of the view that Russia's protest to the powers was designed to reserve all her rights and to prevent international acceptance of the treaty establishing a protectorate.

BATTLE OF CHEMULPO.

CORRESPONDENT'S ACCOUNT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NAGASAKI, Thursday, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the course of a lengthy dispatch from Chemulpo descriptive of the naval engagement there, of which he was an eyewitness, a correspondent says:

"The Variag had reached Round Island, about three thousand meters distant from the Japanese ships, when the battleship Wallasa fired the first shot. The big projectile struck the Variag amidships, and within four minutes ten similar missiles had hit her, doing terrible damage. The Variag circled in a small radius, using all her guns and endeavoring to effect an opening in the ring of Japanese through which to use her great speed to escape. The Korietz performed the same movements, but she was too old and too light and did no damage, so the Japanese left her alone.

"The terrible cannonade continued for fifty-five minutes, after thirty of which the Variag was afire. After this, many of her guns were disabled. Nevertheless, she fought gallantly and finally turned and steamed slowly back to her haven. I was able to visit the Variag, and the damage done by the Japanese shells was terrible. The bridge had been shot away and the vessel's sides were riddled. Everywhere were the ghastly indications of slaughter and the dead were left aboard to receive a grave. At 3:30 p. m., she was scuttled, the decision to blow her up having been changed.

"On board the Korietz, time fuses had been connected with the magazine. At four o'clock, the Japanese vessels appeared in the distance, and, as the hour struck, the Korietz exploded with two terrific reports and pillars of flame, while columns of smoke blackened the sky.

"Single sheets of the ship's papers were carried away to a distance of three miles. The Variag remained apparently unmoved, but the Russians boarded her again and set her afire. She blazed for one hour and a quarter, and then, slowly keeling over, settled down at six o'clock, finally disappearing with a low rumble.

"Late at night, the Japanese sent a report that they had suffered practically no damage; but in conversation with the captain of the Variag, he said he was certain he sank a Japanese torpedo boat and seriously damaged two cruisers, one of which was badly on fire, which is very creditable. Moreover, Korean fishermen report having seen the Japanese destroy the remains of a sunken warship."

SAVING THEIR BEEF.

FEAR JAPS MAY GET IT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The sailing of the steamer China for the Orient has been postponed from tomorrow to Saturday. On board of the steamer tonight workmen are removing the million pounds of beef sold to the Russian government by a local firm.

Three million pounds of beef had been contracted for by the Russian government, and the first two installments were shipped on the steamers Coptic and Korea. This was seized by Japanese officials, and it is believed the local sellers received orders at almost the last moment to remove the third shipment from the China.

PASS ARMY ESTIMATES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Feb. 25.—The Hungarian delegation passed the ordinary and extraordinary army estimates today, as well as a credit of $3,750,000 for the purchase of new field guns.

CENSURE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES.

OGDEN (Utah) Feb. 25.—The Coroner's jury in rendering the verdict as to the cause of the cut-off disaster last Friday, may be regarded as censuring the railroad employés, inasmuch as it states that the accident might have been avoided had the powder car been a greater distance from the engine. The principal witness examined today was Engineer Stanton of the water train. Nothing new was learned by today's examination.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 25.—Horace G. Burt, former president of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, and Mrs. Burt were passengers on the steamer Korea, reported seized by the Japanese at Nagasaki. The Korea had passed Honolulu when the war broke out, and Burt could not be notified of the opening of hostilities. His friends here have had no word from him since he sailed from San Francisco February 2.

CAMPHOR IS HIGHER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Camphor is growing rapidly in price, owing to the war in the Far East. About a week ago it was 77 cents per pound. It is now 85 cents, and it is said to be extremely scarce, even at that figure.

TO RAISE THE VARIAG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Measures are being taken for raising the cruiser Variag at Chemulpo, according to a Times dispatch from Tokio. The vessel is said to be not seriously damaged, but the Korietz is a complete wreck.

TRANSPORTING THE REFUGEES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The British cruiser Amphitrite left Wednesday for Colombo with the Russian refugees who escaped from the Variag and the Korietz to the cruiser Talbot, says a Herald dispatch from Seoul. Those who escaped to the Italian cruiser Elba will leave today on an Italian gunboat for Hongkong, but their final destination is not decided.

DISMISSED BY KOREA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, Wednesday, 5:50 p.m.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Korean government has dismissed Yi Yong-Ik, and stripped him of all titles except that of general. He left this country for Japan.

SAVINGS BANK SECURE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—The rumors that the savings bank will not meet the demands of payment of deposits in consequence of the war are emphatically denied by the Official Messenger.

RUSSIANS MOVING OUT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PEKING, Feb. 25.—The Director-General of Railroads reports that 100 Russian infantrymen, an officer, a gun and a large supply of ammunition, are at Yao Yang Ho and that 200 Russian cavalrymen and two guns have arrived at Lui Li Chang.

CONTRABAND OF WAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—Russia's views of contraband of war will shortly be laid before the powers. The technical committee of the Foreign Office is now considering the matter.

VANCOUVER JAPS' FUNDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Feb. 25.—The Japanese of Vancouver have contributed $10,000 to the war fund. The Japanese of San Francisco, Seattle and Vancouver have now raised, inclusive of Chinese contributions, $235,000. In Vancouver, the contributions were from laboring men earning from 80 cents to $2 a day, the average contribution being $12.50 a man. The Japanese consul says: "A large sum will go forward from here on every vessel until the end of the war."

AMERICAN DESTROYER FLEET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT SAID, Feb. 20.—The United States torpedo boat destroyer flotilla, escorted by the auxiliary cruiser Buffalo, has arrived here on its way to the Philippines. The vessels had a rough trip, but sustained no damage.

RUN, HIS NAME'S COMING.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—Maj.-Gen. Blagoeschensky, quartermaster of the Kieff military district has been appointed to the important post of Inspector-General of the Manchurian army.

ABSURD STORY DENIED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—The Associated Press is authorized to say that there is no truth in the rumor current here that the Russian embassy at Washington will be entrusted to a charge d'affaires as a sign of the displeasure over the conduct of the commander of the United States gunboat Vicksburg at Chemulpo in refusing to join with the commanders of the other foreign warships in the protest against the attack of the Japanese fleet on the Russian cruisers Variag and Korietz. The Foreign Office declares that nothing of the sort is contemplated.

GUNS FOR PUNCHBOWL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HONOLULU, Feb. 25.—Col. John McClellan, commander of the United States military district of Honolulu, is discussing with Gov. Carter the advisability of placing a battery of the largest guns on the Punchbowl crater, close behind the city of Honolulu. It is reported that consideration of this plan may be recommended, instead of the recent suggestions of the army board for a general shore line of fortifications, on account of the Punchbowl fortifications being quicker of completion and more effective than long-range defenses along the ocean shores. The Commercial Advertiser urges Gov. Carter to protest against the proposed placing of artillery on the Punchbowl. It declares that practice firing from that point would break every window in Honolulu. There is a scarcity of Japanese rice in Honolulu, and the dealers will be obliged to make importations from the United States.

CHESHIRE GOING TO MUKDEN.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Fleming D. Cheshire, the newly-appointed United States Consul to Mukden, one of the three American representatives named for Manchurian ports under the provisions of the treaty of last October, has arrived here en route to the Orient. Regarding the recent announcement that Russia would probably object to the new consuls assuming their functions in Manchuria, Consul Cheshire says he has received no advices on this point, and is simply following out instructions given by him in Washington to proceed at once to his post. He will sail tomorrow.

REGIMENT OF HEBREWS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Leopold Moss of Chicago, who is in this city, has announced his intention of recruiting here a regiment of Hebrews for the Japanese army. Moss was a colonel on the staff of the late Gov. Altgeld of Illinois, and served as a captain in the war with Spain. Officials of the Japanese government here have repeatedly stated that the country's laws do not permit the service of aliens, so that Col. Moss's regiment is not at all likely to reach the front.

SALINAS JAPS SUBSCRIBE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALINAS, Feb. 25.—The Japanese of this vicinity, numbering over 200, and augmented by numbers from Monterey, Castroville, and other towns held a meeting here this afternoon and immediately resolved, after many patriotic speeches, to raise a fund for the aid of their country in its war against Russia. Nearly one half of the number present also volunteered in case their services should be needed, though they are not liable to military duty. After a large sum had been subscribed and more promised, the meeting adjourned, with three cheers for Japan and America.

NORWEGIAN AROUSES COMMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 25.—The secretary of the Norwegian consulate at Kobe has gone to Sasebo to see the captain of the captured ship Holks. This action is not understood, and it has given rise to speculation.

JAPS SMILE ON KAISER.

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TOKIO, Feb. 25.—The views expressed by Emperor William of Germany before and after the beginning of the war, which are characterized here as broad and disinterested, have created a favorable impression and are tending to remove the prejudice which at one time existed against him.

THE CZAR CONFERS HONORS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—The Czar has conferred upon Gen. Kuropatkin the diamond insignia of the Order of St. Alexander Nevski. Lieut.-Gen. Fulton, assistant Governor-General of Warsaw, has been appointed prefect of St. Petersburg. The government of Warsaw has long been held up as a model to St. Petersburg and Moscow, nevertheless this appointment was wholly unexpected.

PICKS ADLAI FOR WINNER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A very shrewd Democratic politician, whose prophecies his associates listen to with respect because he does not make them haphazard, said today:

"Both Cleveland and Gray have become so associated in the minds of many Democrats with the end of all things in 1904 that I don't believe either would get a two-thirds vote at St. Louis. Hill and Gorman are out of the question. Cockrell's candidacy is used merely as a stalking-horse, and that Hearst boom makes you tired.

"Adlai E. Stevenson is a man who has a better show than any of the candidates you see mentioned in the Eastern papers. He has never given offense to either element in his party by bolting its candidates or condemning its platforms. If Bryan had not been, by force of circumstances, the essential candidate of the Democracy in 1900, Stevenson would have party in that campaign.

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FREE RURAL DELIVERY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—An amendment offered by Heyburn authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to prohibit interstate shipments of misnamed and misrepresented fruit trees, provoked a long discussion. It was supported by Messrs. Heyburn and Clark of Wyoming, and opposed by Messrs. Tillman, Lodge, Teller, Proctor and Bailey.

Mr. Teller, in opposing the amendment, spoke of the growing expense of the government. He said there had been no general demand for rural free mail delivery, and predicted that the expenses of that system would be increased to $100,000,000.

Mr. Bailey said there had been great criticism of Mr. Cleveland's administration because the total appropriations had reached $248,000,000. The people were now paying $600,000,000, without uttering much complaint.

Mr. Bailey also referred to the free rural-delivery system, saying that $30,000,000 is now being expended to carry mail to the people who would prefer to go after it. He predicted that it would not be ten years before government carriers would be delivering the hats and shoes of Mr. Warren, the Senator from Wyoming, at his door.

"Providing the Republican party remains in power," said Mr. Warren, interrupting, and Mr. Bailey assented to the condition, saying the success of the Republican party would be in the interests of the Senator's "kind."

Mr. Tillman interrupted with the observation that both parties are equally chargeable with responsibility for the rural free-delivery system, "and," he said, "I want to take equal credit for it." He said his conviction was that the system was a great improvement over the old, and said that if Mr. Bailey did not consider it a blessing he was "badly off."

Mr. Lodge sustained a point of order against Mr. Heyburn's amendment, and the debate continued. Mr. Clay defended the Agricultural Department against charges of extravagance. The Agricultural Appropriation Bill was then passed as amended and the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Appropriation Bill was immediately taken up.

On a point of order made by Mr. Nelson, the committee amendment providing that no bureau of the public service shall be transferred from one executive department to another was ruled out as general legislation.

The bill was passed, and at 5:40 p.m. the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—HOUSE—"Don't give up the ship," was the plea made to the House today by Mr. Meyer of Virginia, who opened the debate on the Naval Bill, and addressed himself to the pending amendment of Mr. Burton to strike out the provision for the battleship authorized in the bill. Mr. Meyer is to offer a motion to recommit the bill to the committee with instructions to eliminate the provision for two cruisers, and to make several other changes, and explained that if he were to follow his own judgment and desires, he would urge upon his colleagues the acceptance of the whole building programme.

"But," continued Mr. Meyer, "yielding to the judgment of many of my colleagues, I am quite willing to advise a somewhat more moderate programme."

Senator Gorman's announcement that the navy was "top-heavy," and that there were now too many ships, guns and men, was made the text for remarks by Mr. Mudd of Maryland. He said the statement of Mr. Gorman was important, in view of the rumors of the Senator's candidacy for the Presidential nomination. In Maryland, he said, Mr. Gorman had no great record for economy.

W. W. Kitchin of North Carolina said that the facts presented by Mr. Burton had not been answered in any way, although his Republican colleagues "had pulled" the Republican platform of Ohio on him, and declared him to be out of line with his party. Mr. Kitchin named various foreign governments, and asked after each: "Are you afraid of any of those nations?" His answer was "No." He said the only cause for fear was in the present occupant of the White House, adding, "and he will not be there long."

PROGRAMME JUSTIFIED.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Mr. Gillett said the present status of the war between Russia and Japan justified the building programme in the bill.

In concluding the debate on the Burton amendment, Mr. Foss pointed to the scurrying to the interior of the country of the frequenters of summer resorts by the sea during the Spanish war. The rich, he declared, paid a visit to the banks and got their strong boxes and fled to the interior.

Mr. Burton's amendment was lost on a rising vote of 63 to 126. Mr. Burton of Ohio and Mr. Bishop of Michigan were the only Republicans to support the amendment, while fully twenty Democrats voted against the measure.

W. W. Kitchin moved to strike from the bill the provision for two armored cruisers.

Mr. Foss opposed the amendment, and Mr. De Armond of Missouri expressed surprise at the drift of affairs in this country as to the naval programme. Now we first found out how many and what kind of naval ships Great Britain, Germany, Russia and the others powers were building, and then we tried to keep up to or outdo them.

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12½c 36-inch Fine Percales, yard ... 8½c
12½c Sheer India Linon, yard ... 8½c
11½c Black Sateen, yard ... 8½c
12½c Crepenet Waistings, yard ... 9c
20c Etamine Suiting, yard ... 12½c
7½c 28-inch Scotch Madras, yard ... 5½c
25c White Piques, yard ... 12½c

The Bargain Flood Gates are Open---It's Up to You to Reap the Benefit

Our Anniversary Sale and Bargain-Friday Make a Strong Combination

Remnants of Wanted Linens

Cream damask, full 72 inches wide; nice soft finish; in remnants; splendid 55c quality; priced for Bargain Friday ... 50c

Bleached table damask, 66 inches wide; good firm quality that is excellent for wear; in remnants Friday per yard ... 50c

Remnants of bleached table damask, 54 inches wide; extra heavy weight; dainty desirable patterns; specially priced for Friday, per yard ... 35c

Remnants of 17-inch absorbant crash, brown; bleached, Bargain-Friday, per yard ... 5c

All linen brown crash, 15 inches in width; good grade; Bargain-Friday, per yard ... 6c

All linen brown crash, 17 inches wide; good grade material; cheap at 10c; Bargain-Friday, yard ... 8⅓c

Checked tea towling, with red and blue checks; firm even weave; always sold at 10c; Bargain-Friday, per yard ... 8⅓c

Scotch Net Curtains $2.25 to $3.00 Values .. $1.75

An odd lot of Scotch net lace curtains, 3½ yards long and 54 inches wide; lots of two pairs only; regular prices from $2.25 to $3.00 per pair; Bargain-Friday per pair, $1.75.

Ribbon Remnants 10 Cents

Remnants of plain and fancy ribbons; good assortment of colors and widths; lengths up to 2½ yards; most of them worth 20c; Bargain-Friday, each, 10c.

Liberty silk and batiste; 18-inch liberty silk in a good assortment of colors and silk batiste in stripes; regular values 25c; Friday, per yard ... 10c

Embroidery strips; some of swiss others of cambric; both edges and insertions; a large assortment of patterns; widths up to 5 inches; lengths up to 3 yards; many of these strips worth 25c; Friday, each ... 15c

Pillow tops; on good quality canvas; a pretty lot of designs some with backs to match; these tops are worth up to 35c; Friday, each ... 12½c

Stylish Bead Chains—Many Half Price

Friday we offer a choice from our entire stock of bead chains at greatly reduced prices. We are showing by far the largest and most complete line of bead chains in the city; they come in pearl, jet, turquoise, coral, topaz, rhinestone and irridescent beads; plain braided and rope effects lengths from 2 to 3 yards; also a lot of stylish gun metal chains; at the following reductions for Bargain-Friday:

15c Bead Chains	8c	$ .98 Bead Chains	$ .79
35c Bead Chains	19c	$1.25 Bead Chains	$ .89
50c Bead Chains	29c	$1.75 Bead Chains	$ .98
75c Bead Chains	45c	$2.50 Bead Chains	$1.39

Drapery Dept. Remnants

Remnants of silkoline in short lengths of from 2 to 5 yards; pretty desirable patterns; regular 10c, 12½c and 15c quality; specially priced for Bargain-Friday, per yard ... 7½c

Remnants of tapestry in squares, 22x22 inches; just the thing for cushion tops; desirable line of colors; values in the lot ranging from 60c to $1.25 per yard; Bargain-Friday, each ... 15c

Remnants Wool Waistings Worth 50c and 75c Yard ... 25c

Remnants of wool waistings; lengths ranging from 1½ to 4 yards; many of our finest wool and part waisting materials in the lot; stripe, checks, polkadots and plain colored fabrics; qualities that sell regularly up to 50c and 75c; here's an excellent opportunity to get a wool waist or a child's dress pattern at a great reduction, choose from the lot Friday at, per yard 25c.

75c Embroideries—Rich Patterns Widths up to 16 inches—Some Allovers 25c yd.

One of the biggest snaps we offer for Bargain-Friday is an immense lot of high grade embroideries on cambric, swiss and fine nainsooks; both edges and insertions; handsome patterns; widths up to 16 inches; some allovers that are 36 inches wide; some of these are slightly soiled and mussed from being handled; extra good values up to 75c and some worth even more; Bargain-Friday while they last per yd. 25c.

New $3.50 Ready-to-Wear Hats $2.48

New ready-to-wear hats, made from straw braid, milans and plaid braids; mostly trimmed in quills, rosettes, buttons and velvet ribbons; new stylish models; values up to $3.50; Friday, each $2.48.

Untrimmed felt hats, turbans and dress shapes; rough felt fur felt and moleskin; a choice from all that is left from this season's goods; values up to $2 ... Friday each ... 25c

Children's felt flats, untrimmed and ready-to-wear; good colors; qualities worth up to $1.50; Bargain-Friday ea. ... 25c

Black and white maline shapes, new models; closely tucked; readily worth $3.50; Bargain-Friday each ... $2.50

Special collection of new flowers and foliage, roses, geraniums, small blossoms, holly foliage, rose foliage and violet foliage; values up to 35c; Bargain-Friday per bunch ... 19c

Remnants of Silk Also Velvets and Corduroys 25c Yd

VALUES UP TO $1.00 PER YARD

A big lot of silk and velvet remnants priced in a manner to insure a speedy clearance; taffetta silks worth up to 75c, wash silks worth up to 50c, satins worth 75c and waist silks worth up to 98c; also China silks, satin liberties, black surahs and velvets and corduroys worth up to $1.00; all sorts of silks in all sorts of lengths; a free and unrestricted choice of the lot Friday, while they last at, per yard, 25c.

About 25 pieces of all-silk changeable taffetta in a splendid assortment of dark shades; especially suitable for drop skirts and full costumes; silks that are sold about town at 75c and 85c. Bargain Friday, per yd ... 58c

45-inch Scotch heather mixtures hairline mixed stripes, camel's hair and irridescent mixtures; a good collection of dress goods but only one piece of a kind values up to 85c Friday per yd ... 59c

Men's $12.50 Suits Of All Wool Materials $7.48

Men's suits made from fancy cheviots, cassimeres and black clay worsteds; stylishly cut and well tailored; the coats are lined with heavy Italian cloth; a good range of sizes; excellent $12.50 values; Bargain Friday per suit $7.48.

Men's $1.50 Trousers 75c

Men's trousers made from good strong wool materials; made with seamless band and well sewn; sizes for almost everybody; excellent $1.50 values; best of colors; Bargain Friday per pair 75c.

Youths' suits, sizes from 15 to 18 years; broken lines representing excellent values at double the price, a few of them worth up to $10.00. Bargain Friday while they last per suit ... $2.50

Boys' suits made from all wool blue serge; medium weight; double breasted jackets; pants lined with strong silesia; excellent values at $4.50; medium weight; good range of sizes; Bargain Friday per suit ... $2.89

Boys' corduroy knee pants, light or dark colors; good range of sizes; values up to 75c; Bargain-Friday per pair ... 29c

Boys' overalls made from heavy blue denim; sizes for boys up to 14 years of age; you often pay 50c for no better; Bargain-Friday per pair ... 27c

Boys' waists, made with separate waist bands; a large variety of light and medium colors; good patterns; 40c values; Bargain Friday each ... 19c

Boys' 50c Sweaters 19c

Boys' sweaters heavily ribbed in navy blue and maroon, sizes 26 to 34; elastic necks; regular 50c values; Bargain Friday each 19c.

Boys' 15c Suspenders 7½c

Boys' suspenders made from good strong elastic web; neatly finished ends; strong leather buckles; good colors; excellent value at the regular price 15c; Bargain-Friday per pair 7½c.

Child's 25c Underwear 15c

Children's medium weight ribbed shirts, drawers and pants; broken lines; mostly small sizes; 19c and 25c values; Friday per garment 15c.

Women's swiss ribbed vests and pants; odd lines; mostly small sizes; regular 25c values; Bargain Friday, per garment ... 15c

Women's jersey ribbed vests and pants; medium weight; high neck long sleeved vests; ankle length pants; all sizes; 25c values; Bargain Friday per garment ... 19c

Infants' jersey ribbed merino vests in cream color; silk finished; perfect fitting; sizes 1, 2, 3 and 4; worth 35c; Bargain Friday each ... 25c

10c and 12½c Hose 6¼c

Women's and children's hose, plain black cotton for women and medium weight ribbed hose for children; good lines worth 10c and 12½c; Bargain Friday per pair 6¼c.

Women's cotton stockings; fast black; fairly well finished; the price is the only thing to recommend them. On sale Bargain Friday, per pair ... 3½c

Fur Felt Hats For Men and Boys Excellent $1.50 Values 75c Ea.

Men's and boys' fur felt hats; seasonable colors and shapes; among them are the new and popular broad brim telescopes also Roosevelts and tourists; nobby, up-to-date headgear; plenty of sizes; a large assortment to choose from; splendid values at $1.50; priced for Friday each 75c.

Boys' 25c Cloth Caps 9c

Boys' caps, made from fancy mixed cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds; good colors, neat patterns; well lined and strongly made, good range of sizes, values up to 25c; Friday, each, 9c.

Men's 50c Underwear 29c

Men's fleece lined underwear, shirts only; these are heavy ribbed garments in dark serviceable colors; all sizes 50c values; Friday per garment 29c.

Men's underwear; shirts and drawers; fancy ribbed materials; all sizes only; 35c values; Bargain Friday per garment ... 15c

Men's 25c Fancy Hose 12½c

Men's fancy hose, a large assortment of patterns; all sizes; some plain black seamless hose in the lot; 25c values; Bargain Friday, per pair 12½c.

Men's fast black seamless cotton hose; all sizes; regular 12½c value; Bargain Friday, per pair ... 7½c

Men's working shirts made from strong black and white striped cotton; all sizes; worth 50c Friday each ... 25c

Men's white handkerchiefs, with printed borders; some plain hemmed; worth up to 5c; Bargain Friday, each ... 1½c

Shakespeare's Plays 6c

Shakespeare's plays paper bound; a very convenient edition for school use; a large list to choose from; regular price 10c; Friday with a limit of 3 to a customer per copy 6c.

Leather Bound Books 59c

Full leather bound books, title stamped in gold; among them you will find "The Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam," "Sesame and Lillies," "The Scarlet Letter," "Poems of Longfellow, Brown, Emerson and Whittier" and a score more equally desirable titles published to sell at $1.00; Friday per copy 59c.

Devotional Books 15c

A splendid assortment of devotional books, "In His Name" series, bound in white illuminated with gold; published to sell at 25c; Bargain-Friday per copy 15c.

25c Box Stationery 15c.

Edinborough woven linen paper and envelopes; for genteel correspondence 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes to match; various colors; regular price 25c; Bargain Friday per box 15c.

25 Good Envelopes 2½c.

Good white envelopes, a large assortment of shapes, package of 25; Bargain Friday 2½c.

"Crow" brand playing cards, extra heavy; finely finished; regular price 25c; Bargain Friday per pack ... 15c

Large Bleached Sponges 4c

Good bleached sponges, extra large; just what you would buy for the bathroom; regular 10c and 15c grade; Bargain Friday, each, 4c.

10c Tooth Brushes 5c

Tooth brushes, made from fine quality bristles; all good 10c values; Bargain Friday, each, 5c.

25c Hair Brushes 15c

Hair brushes made with good solid backs; pure bristles; strong and serviceable; regular 25c article; special Friday each 15c.

15c Tooth Soap 9c

Evans' listerated tooth soap, for cleansing, beautifying and preserving the teeth; would be cheap at 15c. Specially priced for Bargain Friday, 9c.

$1.35 Bulb Syringes 83c

The Hygienic Crown bulb syringe; made from Goodyear rubber; four hard rubber pipes; well and strongly made; splendid $1.39 value Bargain Friday, each 83c.

15c Celluloid Combs 9c

Good celluloid combs, fine and coarse teeth in each comb; well worth 15c; priced for Bargain Friday each 9c.

Imt. Oak Dressers, Worth $11.00, now $8.50
Solid Oak Dressers, Worth $16.50, now $13.50

DON'T MISS A GOOD THING

Our Mammoth Make-room Sale

And low prices appeal to the good judgments of economic buyers, many of whom are taking advantage of this special sale.

Hardwood Center Tables, 16x16, worth $1.00, Make-room Sale ... 75c
Solid Oak Brace Arm Chairs, C.S., worth $1.00, Make-room Sale ... 75c
Solid Oak Extension Table, good finish, worth $8.00, Make-room Sale ... $6.50
Iron Bedstead, Mattress and Springs, worth $10.50, Make-room Sale ... $8.00

All sizes Roll Top Desks $15.00 to $100.00.

J. T. Martin
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Chiffoniers, Imt. oak, worth $7.50, now $6.25.
Chiffoniers, Solid oak, worth $5.00, now $4.00

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BUSINESS.

Local wholesale business continues fair in volume. Bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were $5,531,-916.03, against $4,478,535.75 in 1903, and $4,224,650.84 for the corresponding week in 1902.

Belief that wheat supplies would be very limited before harvest, together with alarm in foreign markets over bear prospects took May option up to 109 and July to 98¾. The closing figures were lower. The average of the day's gains at New York for the most active stocks was above a point. The closing was strong, but very dull.

PRICE AND POSTAGE.

The following table shows the price of the Midwinter Number when sold at The Times office. The edition will be for sale at city news stands as well as out-of-town news agencies, wrapped ready for mailing. The postage will be 5 cents per copy, if news sheets are included, and 4 cents per copy without the news sheets.

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TOTEM TURNED DOWN.

A dispatch from Chicago notes that under a decision recently rendered by the board of election commissioners of Cook county, primary election ballots marked with the union label or any other device will hereafter, if cast, be treated as void, and will not be counted. This decision is manifestly in accordance with common sense and common fairness. In most or all the States, the election laws provide that there shall be no marks of any kind on the official ballots, other than those distinctly provided for and authorized by law. Notwithstanding this clear provision, the totem, or union label, has in many States been permitted on official ballots, in distinct violation of the law. Without a doubt, thousands of ballots which were thus rendered illegal under the law have been counted, in Chicago and other cities. Certainly, there is no valid or sufficient reason why an exception to the law's provision should be made in the case of the union totem, even if it were not a violation of the law to make any such exception. But inasmuch as it is a distinct violation of the law, there is but one course to pursue, and that is the course which the board of election commissioners of Cook county have pursued—and it is obviously a course which they ought long ago to have taken.

The unmitigated gall which prompts the custodians of the union totem to seek to have it placed upon public documents of any kind is something which ought to have received its quietus long ago. For all public printing the entire public are required to pay. Inasmuch as the vast majority of the people neither belong to unions nor believe in their policies and methods, the wrong and injustice of plastering public work with the union totem is manifest. The small minority of perniciously active workers should not thus be permitted to impose upon the vast majority of independent workers (comprising the general public) who work with their hands rather than with their jaws. The time will yet come—and it is fast approaching—when a candidate for office who allows the totem to be placed upon his election cards and other printing will be snowed under by an overwhelming majority of votes cast by independent and law-abiding citizens. Speed the auspicious day!

THE PACE THAT KILLS.

Suicide has become increasingly and alarmingly prevalent in this country during the past few years. Many causes might plausibly be advanced for this distressing condition of affairs, but the main reason for the increase of suicide may undoubtedly be found in the strenuous life that most Americans lead nowadays—the pace that kills. Sometimes it leads to paresis, sometimes to chronic invalidism, sometimes to sudden death, and not infrequently to insanity and suicide. The routine life of the average American citizen who is prominent in the world's affairs, whether as a manufacturer, a merchant, a banker, a stock broker or a statesman, is enough to excite the wonder of a thoughtful man who is able to get outside of things as they are, and look at them as they should be. What real enjoyment of life has, for instance, the stock broker, who spends the business hours of the day in a frantic struggle for advantage, snatching a hasty swallow of nourishment at noon, and then, perhaps, plunging into dissipation in the evening, in order to relieve his overwrought mind? What enjoyment in life has the average multi-millionaire? He is simply an overworked man who manages immense enterprises which take up all his time, and often keep him awake at night, and in return he receives—what? His board and lodging.

Happy the man who is content—the man into whose blood the deadly gambling mania has not entered, the man who seeks daily to do a little good, so far as it lies in his power, to be of some cheer to a downcast fellow-creature, to spend a little less than he earns, and to take a genuine, unaffected enjoyment in the beauties of nature. Such a man need not envy a millionaire, or the Emperor, or the statesman whose name is in everybody's mouth, nor will such a man ever commit suicide.

RUNNING A CITY.

One of the peculiar phases of American municipal life, and undoubtedly one of the chief causes of the corruption that is so common in American municipalities, is the carelessness with which citizens permit men to be elected to important offices to whom they would not confide the responsibility of running a little retail business of any kind—men who are sometimes corrupt and frequently incompetent. As The Times has frequently said, it is altogether illogical that in a city, or county, or State election we should devote so much attention to the nomination and election of men who merely have clerical offices to fill, and almost ignore the responsibility of choosing people who for the next term are to make the laws—either good laws or bad laws—for an important city, county or State, whether acting as members of a City Council, of a Board of Supervisors, or of a State Legislature. It is entirely unnecessary in this connection to specify any individual cases or to "name names," but any one who has reached middle life and has been at all observant may easily go back in his memory and call to mind a long list of men who have served as lawmakers in the city, or county, or State who have been either incompetent or corrupt—sometimes both.

It is time that good citizens should seek to bring about a change in this condition of affairs, especially in regard to city and county government, for that we have always with us as a power for good or harm, whereas—fortunately—the State Legislature sits for only a few weeks at a time. One of the most important questions to be considered in connection with an improvement of the caliber of our municipal lawmakers is in regard to remuneration. The salary of $100 a month, now paid to members of the City Council, is either much too small or much too large. That is to say, a first-class man of affairs, such as we should have to make laws for this city of manifest destiny, cannot, of course, afford to give his time to the city for a paltry $100 a month. If he is a first-class business man, holding a prominent position in the business world, he should be able to make, at the very least, five times as much as that, in his own business. It should be remembered that the time devoted by the Councilmen to their regular meetings only represents a small part of the time which they are supposed to devote to city affairs. There are board meetings, and special meetings, and matters of importance to be looked up between times; so that the Councilman who does his duty will find that he must put in from six to eight hours a day, six days a week.

On the other hand, if it is not thought proper to offer a fair salary to the Councilmen, then the position should be made an honorary one, as it was here until a few years ago, and an effort should be made to interest men of means, and ability, and unquestioned integrity, who have retired or partially retired from business life, and can accordingly afford to devote a considerable portion of their time to public duties. This class is not anything like so numerous in this country as it is in Europe, for Americans have a habit of keeping in harness till they die. Still, there is here quite a sprinkling of such men, who could fill the position of Councilman with credit and honor. As an extra inducement, it might be tacitly understood that a term as Councilman, filled to the satisfaction of the people, should place the official in line for election to the honorable office of Mayor, just as members of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce are, in turn, elected to the presidency of that institution.

In this way we may perhaps succeed in placing the business of running a city on a somewhat higher plane, or at least in making it as practical and decent as the managing of the ordinary department store, or hotel, or factory.

And even Senator Hoar climbed into the Panama band wagon when it made its last round.

LEROY E. MOSHER—FAREWELL.

"To keep the lost one company."

YESTERDAY, under the sod of Rosedale, was hidden away a rare man, from whose mortal body the spirit had taken its flight to a better country, let us hope.

I knew Leroy E. Mosher well for more than a quarter of a century. During much of that period we were closely connected in the work of this journal, whose destiny and good name were very near to our hearts. I can say now that I never called upon my comrade and coworker to join me in the execution of any task, or in the performance of any duty, however arduous or severe, without a quick, ready and effective response. He was cheerfulness itself, no matter how strenuous the duty to be performed. He proved himself, over and over again, to be every inch a man—a manly man, brave, loyal, true and enduring. He was a steadfast friend, an exquisite companion, an ever-ready coadjutor, upon whom I could and did count with profound confidence. I learned to trust with implicit faith in his fidelity and devotion, and to lean upon him as one whom I had seen tried in many sore conflicts, and whom I had always found true—true as Truth itself.

He was filled with a high and chivalric pride in his corps. He never hesitated when the bugle sounded the "Assembly;" it was enough for him to know that Duty called him to march in line with "ours."

Now and here, when it is all too late to avail him—too late to reach his deadened ears—I bear willing testimony to his high courage, his unvarying loyalty to every trust, his splendid fidelity. Duty and Honor were his watchwords; he never failed nor faltered when the hour of trial came. He served this journal with marked devotion, with signal ability, and with conspicuous brilliancy. He was true to his family, his friends and his duty. He "kept up his end" in every struggle (and they have been many,) requiring loyalty, tenacity, strength and brave effort.

Mr. Mosher was a man of fine sensibilities, of fixed integrity, of high honor. He was permeated with patriotism; he loved his country and her matchless flag. For this he fought as a soldier when young, and in its emblazoned folds he was wrapped when the Great Captain, Death, gave him his last command.

He gloried in the name and achievements of his country, and reverenced that same banner of beauty and of glory that floats in majesty above the land which gave him birth. His soul was aflame with patriotic ardor; and after a third of a century of peace, when the war cloud again lowered over the land, he wanted to go where he might once more hear the clang of sabers and the shriek of shell.

Mr. Mosher was known as a prose writer of exceptional merit, his style being clear, direct, strong, incisive and graphic, enabling him to write with point and power, with force and fire. His verse, though not abundant, possessed originality, grace and singular beauty. He was peculiarly happy in the treatment of patriotic subjects; and his sonorous periods were often enough to make the reader imagine that he could see the shot-torn flag floating above charging battalions or bring to his alert ear the rattle of musketry and the boom of cannon. In his pen style he showed the versatility of true genius, coupled with the dash and élan of the literary lancer that he was. His written words were most often light, cheerful and debonair; and he could give graceful and generous praise where it had been fairly earned; but he could indulge in fierce excoriation when deserved. He never fell short of the mark when it came to exposing shams or uncovering humbugs, whether they were men or things. The felicity of his verse and the power and incisiveness of his prose gave to his writings exceptional merit and won for them popular fame.

Leroy E. Mosher cherished in his manly breast a gallant spirit; he possessed a sweet and a noble soul. He was an intrepid soldier in whatever cause he enlisted himself. Such a man—such a well-rounded and graceful character—could not help being loved and admired by his friends, coworkers and daily associates, and by countless thousands more. His companionship was a perennial delight. Close knowledge of such a true, sweet, simple and beautiful character is enough to make us rejoice that in human nature it is possible for such qualities to reside.

The world is better for men like him who has thus untimely gone before. His dust lies beneath the sod of his adopted California, which he loved, and his soul has passed the Dark River to the brighter Beyond. The good that he did in life will surely live after him, and his cherished memory will abide in the hearts of a.. who knew him here and who wish him eternal happiness in the impenetrable Hereafter.

Faithful soul—true comrade—gallant spirit—good friend, peace be with you forever! A last salute and a long farewell!

HARRISON GRAY OTIS.

The mysterious metal, radium, appears to be much more widely distributed over the earth than was at first suspected. It is now stated that radio-activity is the secret of the therapeutic qualities of most mineral springs. While radium is widely distributed, the trouble is that it is diffused in such small quantities that it is a difficult and expensive matter to extract it. There is also enough gold in the waters of the ocean to pay the national debts of the world, and leave a few billions over, but, so far, no successful method of extracting it at a profit has been discovered.

It is again announced that a method of photographing in colors has been discovered, this time in Chicago. Similar announcements have been made so frequently that most people will require to "be shown" before they accept the discovery of this important improvement as a fact. That success may eventually be achieved along this line is probable. In fact, in the present age of scientific wonders, it is a rash man who declares anything to be impossible.

It is nearly time for the rainmakers of various sorts, sizes and conditions to be getting in their work again. To be sure, we can worry along for a few days yet without any more moisture; but it is well to take time by the forelock in matters of this kind.

A Chicago paper tells us how to obtain radium in a very simple manner. Take common pitchblende, treat it with carbonite of soda, sulphuric and hydrochloric acid, draw off the sulphate, polonium, actinium and barium and you have it. After this explanation, there is no reason why even the very poorest of us cannot have radium three times a day if we desire it.

To a man up a tree it looks as though the Democratic party would split open so wide on national politics this year that the former fissures in that ancient structure will look like mere hair lines.

There is a smell of spring in the air these days, and the California humming girl throngs the streets of the old pueblo and the highways adjacent thereunto. What more could the heart desire?

A brother of King Peter of Servia has enlisted with the Russians. King Peter, himself, is generally able to satisfy his appetite for hostilities without leaving the royal premises.

It is reported that Colombia is preparing to invade Panama with her army. Colombia is getting ready to get her "army" locked up for disturbing the peace.

Wouldn't it have been quite a lovely joke if the police had pulled in some of those prominent citizens among those "also present" at the prize fight, as witnesses?

Col. Bryan continues to prophesy that the next President will be a Democrat. But the colonel has long since ceased to draw a salary as a political prophet.

A man from Coney Island has entered in the St. Louis airship race. Coney Island has always been noted as a place where people were able to fly high.

While China continues to protest that she is neutral, it is believed that she is putting in her spare moments concealing a flatiron up her sleeve.

It appears that a majority of the various countries have mislaid the street address of The Hague tribunal.

And now the Mikado is commencing to get the "regret to reports" regular in his morning mail.

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Prince Louis Napoleon has been recalled from Geneva to St. Peterburg. He will probably be given supreme command of the Russian cavalry in Manchuria.

Cardinal Gotti has decided to discuss at the next meeting of the congregation of the propaganda the division of the bishopric of Rhode Island into two districts.

"Woody Crest," the home for crippled children maintained by Helen M. Gould near her mansion at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, will be reopened soon, greatly enlarged and improved.

W. T. Stead, exhausted by his efforts in London daily newspaper experiment, has been ordered by his physicians to take a complete rest, and has sailed to South Africa.

Rev. E. Henry Byrona, a Congregational minister at New Smyrna, Fla., is making an effort to arrange for a joint reunion of Confederate and Federal veterans some time this summer.

The Duchesse d'Uzes has espoused the cause of the French religious society schools, which the government has been seeking to suppress. Thus far she has met only defeats in the court.

Senator Ward of Fredericktown, N. B., was 100 years old on February 19.

James B. Morrow, for many years editor-in-chief of the Cleveland Leader, has resigned his postion and will retire from the editorial profession on March 1. He first became identified with the Leader as a reporter a score of years ago.

M. Caruse, the great tenor of the Metropolitan Company, New York, who has just sailed for home, made the following comment just at embarking: "I have but two criticisms to make of the American critics. They object to my clothes and my fat. When I return I trust that I shall have overcome those objectionable features."

Senator Weldon Brindon Heyburn of Idaho is a new man in the upper House at Washington, but he has made a distinctly good impression as a man of force with a bright future. He was born in Pennsylvania in 1852 of Quaker parentage. He was admitted to the bar in 1876 and has practiced law, chiefly in Idaho, ever since.

Tony Robert Fleury, the new president of the Society of French Artists, to succeed Bourguereau, carries his sixty-five years lightly. Straight and well built, he has the easy bearing of the finished society man. As a son of a great artist and member of the academy he has behind him all the traditions necessary for an artist's career.

A statue of Louis Joliet, the French explorer, will be placed in the little park in front of the public library building at Joliet, Ill., to commemorate the memory of the man for whom the town is named. Sigvald Asbjornsen, who made the statue of Lief Erickson in Humboldt Park, is the sculptor, and he has succeeded in imparting a winning strength of character to the face of the famous explorer.

Frank G. Carpenter, author of the series of interviews now appearing in The Times Magazine on the labor problem and allied subjects, is a graduate of Wooster University, from which he graduated in 1877. After that he was a newspaper man in Cleveland and other cities, and finally went to Washington as a correspondent. He has been a great traveler. He makes his home in Washington city.

TO LEROY E. MOSHER.

("The Stranded Bugle.")

This battered bugle yet again
Shall breathe the soul of melody.
Though its last earthly note doth cry
A wandering sound 'twixt sea and sky,
A moan of loss and pain.

This battered bugle—let it lie
Upon the tide of Time and Love,
Trusting within some kindly cove,
Drifting, at last some hour shall prove
Its music could not die.

Its music! Now 'mid falling tears
We, who have heard it, softly tell
How sweet and sad it rose and fell,
And how it charmed us with its spell
Through all our war-worn years.

O Thou who guardest all the deep,
This broken bugle Thou canst take
Unto Thy mercy's breath and make
Diviner song whose strains shall wake
Within the gates of Sleep.

LOU V. CHAPIN.

VALE! MOSHER!

Vale! Mosher! Brave scribe, upon the strand
Where backward ocean rolls and sets the land
To service of the living man, you open wide
The gates of vast eternity, and on the tide
Of e'er-departing frail humanity depart,
Leaving to us a still and silent heart.
Farewell! Great Heart! thy printed words and songs,
With all the comfort that to them belongs,
Shall live in our remembrance. Thy life
To other men, to daughters—wife
Hath been of blessed use. Flowers and tears
We lay upon thy grave, and, filled with fears,
And yet with perfect trust in God's imperial reign,
Return unto our tasks, our toil, our gain.

E. H. R.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Lillian Blauvelt.

Lillian Blauvelt came, was seen, and she conquered.

It takes a combination of qualities to make so fascinating a singer as Mme. Blauvelt. Granted so perfectly-trained a voice as hers, and you have one very essential factor; add to this a dainty personality and the subtle charms of gracious womanhood, and the resulting total is Lillian Blauvelt as she appeared before last night's fashionable audience at the Mason Operahouse. By the way, why can't we call her "Miss" Blauvelt, or "Mrs." Something or other? Or, plain "Lillian Blauvelt" would do very nicely. She is just a pretty personification of the fine American woman, and the Frenchified stagey "Madame" doesn't grace her winsome unconventionality.

Madame Blauvelt—after all, she has a right to be called that if she so chooses—gave a well selected lyric programme in four languages last evening. She sang her Italian arias as much Italiano as a prima-donna of La Scala, and her German numbers with as Teutonic an accent as if she were an ambitious fraulein just from the Berlin conservatory.

Her mastery of language is good—French, English, German and Italian—diverse as the countries of warmth or cold from which they come, seem equally easy tongues. She has not conquered all the schools of singing, and this she probably could not do, for the result might be a conglomerate jumble. Her method and style are eminently Italian. Once in her German ballads did she depart from this, the deep feeling and soft tenderness of Brahms' "O' Wuesst ich Doch," taking her out of the lyric sphere and making of Lillian Blauvelt the concert singer, Lillian Blauvelt the actress. Her English airs were given simply with the naive charm of a consummate but unassuming artist.

Her voice is a light soprano of brilliant quality almost perfectly trained. It would do any young student good to watch the way she breathes, and her superb chest and smooth legato phrasing in the most extended passages form a fine example of cause and effect. In places there is a tendency to sharpness, and a little shrillness of higher notes, but the restrained strength evident in all her tone-production modifies this slight defect. There is no especial warmth in her voice; she is not a creator of pulsing life in sound—rather a carver of cold but flawless marble. Do you recall the brilliant, jetting torrents of bubbling melody that came from the swelling throat of the last singing woodbird that you heard? That is how Lillian Blauvelt pours the trembling cataract of a trill between her even white teeth and produces momentary flashes of brilliant staccato.

If she would just increase her pneumatic supply a little more before the last noted of her songs she would be quite perfect.

It was a concert that was good to hear, and the audience liked it so well that she will give another one, appearing once more at the Mason next Monday evening. Her programme next time will resemble last night's offering.

Mme. Blauvelt was ably accompanied last night by Mrs. M. B. Tilton, and was kind with her encores. Her programme included the following classics and ballads by authors of today:

Part I.—"Son Troppo" (Galuppi;) "Amarilli" (Gaccini;) "Una Voce poco fa" (Rossini;) "Dle Lotusblume" (Schumann;) "Fruhlingslied" (Mendelssohn;) "O' Wuesst ich Doch" (Brahms;) "Will Niemand Singen" (Hildach;) "Les Vepres Sicilienne" (Verdi.)

Part II.—"Charmant Papillon" (Campra;) "Veille Chanson" (Bizet;) "Pourquoi" (Delibes;) "Bolero" (Dessauer;) "Stolen Wings" (Willeby;) "Ecstasy" (Beach;) "'Twas April" (Nevin;) "My Bairnie" (Vannah;) "They Say" (Randegger.)

POPE AND SETH LOW.

Archbishop Farley Introduces Former Mayor to Pontiff, Who is Exceedingly Gracious to Americans.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ROME, Feb. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Pope received Archbishop Farley in private audience today. Regarding the Baltimore fire, the Pope referred with admiration to the report he had received that Baltimore would rebuild without help, and exclaimed: "It is the true American spirit. You do everything on a grand scale, even in the case of fires."

Archbishop Farley introduced former Mayor Seth Low and Mrs. Low, John D. Crimmins and others. The party was accompanied by Monsignor Kennedy, rector of the American college. When the Pope heard Mr. Low's name he remembered him immediately, and pointed to a table on which lay the engrossed resolution bound in black morocco, and mounted with silver, sent at the time of the death of Pope Leo. The Pontiff congratulated the ex-Mayor, saying that he knew that although he was not a Catholic, he was a good Christian, and gave each of the visitors his hand to kiss.

The Pope afterward addressed all present, Archbishop Farley translating his remarks. The Pontiff said he could not adequately express the gratification which he experienced at receiving Americans at the Vatican. America was known in his heart for her greatness as a nation and her generosity as a people. The Pope then gave the Americans his benediction and extended it to the members of their families, adding:

"This blessing comes from a full heart."

While tears came into his eyes, affecting those present, the Pope continued:

"I must give you something."

His Holiness began rummaging in his drawers among papers and others things. He finally discovered some medals, and gave a silver one to each of the party. He also gave gold and copper medals to the archbishop and and ex-Mayor.

The audience with Archbishop Farley and his party occurred in the Pope's private library.

AMERICANS FEAR LOSS OF TRADE.

RUSSIANS CANCELLING ORDERS IN ST. PETERSBURG DAILY.

Appeal Taken to Consul-General Watts Who Has Written to the State Department—London Post Thinks Dewey's Guns Shattered a Superstition.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The irritation against the United States on account of the supposed unfriendly attitude of that country toward Russia, which was slightly noticeable throughout the negotiations, seems to have become daily more pronounced, since the Vicksburg incident at Chemulpo, when the commander of this American gunboat is said to have refused to unite with the commanders of other foreign warships at Chemulpo to protest against the fighting which resulted in the loss of Russian warships, the Variag and Koriets, and the fact that the Vicksburg did not take on board survivors of the Russian ships.

American business men here are really concerned about the possible effect on trade. Within the last few days, orders for American goods have been countermanded, the only explanation given being that prospective purchasers did not desire to buy American goods under the present circumstances. United States Consul-General Watts has been appealed to in the case of an American firm which had a large contract for school supplies, the contract having been peremptorily canceled. Orders for the importation of a big consignment of wood pulp have also been countermanded, the intending purchaser saying in his letter that he could not be expected to do business with American after the Vicksburg incident. Mr. Watts has felt it to be his duty to write to the State Department pointing out the state of public feeling here and the great prospective damage to American trade unless measures were taken to allay the irritation.

Americans here believe that an official explanation of the Vicksburg incident would be opportune and have the excellent effect. The government, officially, has not taken notice of the incident, being without direct official advices from the Far East on the subject. In government circles, however, it is seen plainly that Russian susceptibilities have been wounded, and the fear is expressed that should Washington now disregard Russia and proceed to the exequaturs for the newly-appointed American consuls at Mukden, and Antung from Peking and attempt to send those officials to their posts, a really unpleasant incident might be created.

Russia does not want to be placed in the position of refusing to allow these consuls to enter upon their duties, but with a state of war existing and commerce at a standstill, military considerations are paramount, and Russia might consider herself warranted in interpreting such a course on the part of the United States to be political rather than commercial. The refusal of Russia to allow Mr. Morgan, the newly-appointed American Consul at Port Dalny, to go to his post at present, is based solely on the military situation, which may compel all foreigners to leave Port Dalny. The sincere hope is expressed that the United States will not embarrass Russia further by pressing the question of consular representation at this time.

JAPAN PAYS WHISKY BILL.

TOKIO, Feb. 25.—The Japanese government today paid the famous White whisky claim by handing to United States Minister Griscom a draft for $115,000 in favor of the American Trading Company. The claim arose from a customs decision rendered in 1890, holding an importation of 3000 barrels of whisky to be alcohol, and increasing the duty. Japan at first rejected the claim for repayment of the amount alleged to have been overcharged by the customs department, but Minister Griscom, on arriving at Tokio, renewed it and pressed the case with firmness. His success in securing payment is very gratifying to American commercial men, and a settlment of the matter is regarded as another mark of the friendliness of Japan for America.

At Denver, the Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society has been organized for the purpose of establishing a free hospital for the purpose of treating indigent Jewish consumptives who go to Colorado for their health.

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4	24,000	20	[illegible]
5	23,500	21	[illegible]
6	23,500	22	[illegible]
7	23,540	23	[illegible]
8	23,550	24	[illegible]
9	23,500	25	[illegible]
10	27,000	26	[illegible]
11	23,500	27	[illegible]
12	23,530	28	[illegible]
13	23,510	29	[illegible]
14	23,040	30	[illegible]
15	24,040	31	[illegible]
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5	33,500	21	34,040
6	33,650	22	34,040
7	33,540	23	34,170
8	33,850	24	34,800
9	33,800	25	34,150
10	51,000	26	34,150
11	33,800	27	34,200
12	33,850	28	34,200
13	33,910	29	34,350
14	33,940	30	34,200
15	34,040	31	34,000
16	34,000		

Total 1,170,650

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1904.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

My commission expires ..... Oct. 6, 1906.

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"TAPS" SOUNDED OVER MOSHER.

SOLDIER AND JOURNALIST IS LAID TO REST.

Many Mourning Friends Follow His Remains to the Grave—Eulogy by Rev. Robert J. Burdette—Many Beautiful Floral Tributes.

A mournful blast from a bugle, yet sweet and tender as a mother's lullaby, when she rocks her fretful babe to rest, a limpid cadence dying on the evening breeze until the last pathetic note was scarce more than a sigh from the throat of melody.

The "taps" was sounded for Leroy Mosher as the tired soldier, poet, journalist, business man and faithful friend was laid to rest in the silent peace of the dead."

The funeral of Mr. Mosher took place yesterday afternoon, and the large attendance of comrades, fellow-workmen and citizens prominent in all walks of life was a marked tribute to the man whose untimely death was a shock to the community. The love and esteem in which he was held was also attested by the numerous floral tributes that were heaped upon his grave.

A public service was held at his late residence, No. 417 West Washington street, at 1:30 o'clock. This was attended only by the mourning relatives, pallbearers and a few friends. Rev. Robert J. Burdette officiated.

The last-taking of the widow and friends from their beloved dead was a heart-rending, but after it was accomplished, the body, followed by the mourners, was taken to Simpson Auditorium, where the public obsequies were held. In front of the auditorium, the detachment of Stanton Post, G.A.R., was drawn up in open ranks between which the casket was borne into the building, while the comrades stood with heads uncovered.

A large delegation from the Sunset Club, members of the Builders' Exchange and other organizations with which Mr. Mosher had been affiliated, and many other people who were among his friends and admirers were present.

The services were opened by the singing of "We Shall Meet, but We Miss Him," by the Euterpean Quartette.

Rev. Robert J. Burdette then read the funeral service and delivered a short address, in which he spoke feelingly of Mosher's many endearing qualities and the helpfulness with which he faced all difficulties until his burdens became more than he could bear. Burdette said in part:

"In his years, he had lived a man's life. Out in the open, under the blue; among the trumpets, amid the thunder of captains and the shouting. The battles that beat against his life were such as come to men in the market place, in the camp, on the battlefield; in the pitiless competition of the commercial world; in the fierce contentions of the political arena. Where the hand-clasp of friendship is as loyal as the vow of the foeman is true. In the morning time of his youth, he had looked death in the face in the shock of battle, and all his life was he animated by the courage of the soldier, for a man he had a soldier's record. For a cowardly ally he had a righteous contempt. He hated a lie, and despised treachery. His word among men who best knew him—and these were his best and truest friends, was as good. He lived in the daylight, and every man he met fairly looked in the eyes. A man in the ranks, at the elbow touch of the alignment, and his comrades trusted in his step, tried once and again, and found true. They weighed his words as men test and measure one another in the forum, and they never found him wanting. His friendship was warm and generous. He believed in his fellow-men, and a man's love, to his sympathetic impulse, was essentials of his worth.

"His ideals were high, and his aims were in the path of the eagle. But into the gentleness of his life the bitterness of disappointment entered as the sensitive soul when impossible ideals cannot be realized; when the height that ambition has made unattainable, cannot be reached. But he knew its own bitterness, and the world which he loved to help he was hopeful as ever; his song was clear and resonant with hope and cheer. Even in the overclouded days, when he alone believed himself a failure, every line that he wrote was a shout of encouragement to the tired workers and strugglers, the voice of a wounded soldier, fighting under the death stroke, still cheering on his comrades to the victory which he believed was sure for though denied himself. And this was the bitterness of his life; the native valor of his soul rejoiced, with a soldier's unselfishness, in the triumph which he saw was none the less glorious because he was shut out from it. Though it was marred by many a discordant note in its progress, his song was ever an anthem of hope."

Burdette closed his encomium by reading the closing lines of Mr. Mosher's beautiful poem, "The Stranded Ship."

Floral offerings were brought to a close by the singing of "Nearer, My God, to Thee," by the Euterpean Quartette. The line of carriages filled with friends and sympathetic friends following the hearse conveying the remains to the Cemetery, and many others joined to the burial ground in order to pay their last respects. The cemetery Stanton Post, G.A.R., held the services, and the veteran given a soldier's burial by his comrades who had been before.

The pallbearers who performed the last sacrificial rite of the G.A.R. were: Edgerton, commander; Lascomb, chaplain; W. S. officer of the day; N. C. comrade; W. S. Daubenspeck, comrade; H. H. Bartlett, comrade.

The last word was said and sprigs of laurel and cypress and rosemary were laid upon the bier together with "Old Glory." Then Thomas sounded "taps." The mournful melody died away, and was lowered into the grave. The pall-bearers were Gen. H. Hough McDowell, Harry E. Frank X. Pfaffinger, C. E. and Will E. Chapin. The honorary pall-bearers were George W. Stewart, J. R. Newton, S. McGroarty, John Bond and W. S. Livengood.

Among the striking floral pieces was a column with a wreath of ivy and a scroll and broken rose buttons, while dashing across were waves carrying a yacht. This was the offering of Mr. Mosher's co-workers in the editorial and business departments of The Times.

The composing and proof-room contributed a beautiful piece bearing "Gates Ajar," with the initials "M." in crimson rosebuds, a field of violets.

The Sunset Club, the Builders' Exchange, the Fire-Pulp and Plaster Company, the Los Angeles Lighting Company, Stanton Post, G.A.R., and a host of other organizations and individual friends and relatives also sent beautiful floral offerings of various designs.

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SAN DIEGO.

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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 25.—In the absence of her husband, Billy Nauderman, the defendant in a complaint made by the Purity League, charging that property owned by him was used for immoral purposes, Mrs. Nauderman, also known as "Dutch Emma," has taken the responsibility of ordering out the occupants of the crib property under their control, with the understanding that the prosecution shall be withdrawn. As Nauderman is owner of half the shacks in the red light district, Mrs. Nauderman's action causes a stir. The occupants were routed out on short notice. The Purity League people say they must have a plea of guilty before they consider the overtures. There are still fifteen or twenty women in the district, and the Purity League managers say the owners of the cribs must oust them or be prosecuted.

THE TIMES IN SAN DIEGO.—Sold regularly by Harry Orcutt, authorized agent, at No. 1206 C street, and by J. C. Packard, No. 861 Fifth street; Loring & Co., No. 752 Fifth street; Gray's Book Exchange, No. 1626 F street; McKee, No. 1024 D street, and at the Hotel Robinson.

The following-named dealers refuse to sell The Times because they lack the courage to stand up against the small faction of local labor-unionists and their newspaper allies who have joined forces in boycotting The Times in San Diego, viz., Snyder, No. 634 Fifth street; Avey & Jones, No. 949 Fifth street; Sam Taylor, No. 855 Fifth street, and Percival Wood, No. 1214 E street. The latter, especially, has shown double dealing, hypocrisy and cowardice by his course. Independent citizens who have a contempt for the boycotting know where to find The Times.

CORONADO BEACH.

GEORGE GOULD EXPECTED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Feb. 25.—Mrs. George Gould says she expects her husband to join her here soon. Mr. Gould is arranging his business affairs so that he may spend a few days here before proceeding north.

Among yesterday's arrivals was Hiram W. Sibley, one of the greatest seed merchants in the world. He is touring the Pacific Coast in his private car, Sunset. His party includes John H. Stedman, Leonard L. Allen, H. P. Brewster, W. L. Thompson, Frederick P. Allen, all of Rochester, N. Y.

A Raymond & Whitcomb excursion party, numbering ninety-five, arrived here yesterday. Judge Conrey of Los Angeles was among the arrivals. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Nichols of Manitou, Colo., are here. Mr. Nichols is connected with the Cliff House at Manitou, and the Maryland at Pasadena. Other recent arrivals include: Mrs. E. A. McRea, the well-known landscape artist, who laid out Lincoln Park, Chicago, and who is now with the Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroads, as landscape artist; S. B. Raymond, formerly treasurer of Cook county, Ill., accompanied by his wife; W. J. Watson, a Chicago banker.

IMPERIAL.

FIRST LARGE DATE VENTURE.

IMPERIAL, Feb. 25.—The Imperial Date Company has been formed, composed of eastern capitalists, to grow Neglet Noor dates for commerce. A shipment of trees will arrive from Algiers in May or June, and will be planted in orchards of about two acres each. This is the first effort to grow dates on a commercial scale in the United States, and is the forerunner of extensive importations. Next winter a member of the company will go to Algiers and bring back a large consignment of trees.

BRANCH TO CALEXICO.

The graders on the Southern Pacific road from Imperial to Calexico are within two miles of Calexico. A finishing crew will be put on at once, and track laying will begin by March 15.

VISITORS IN THE VALLEY.

W. F. Holt and wife of Redlands, Superintendent R. H. Ingram and wife, George A. Parkyns and wife, and other officials of the Southern Pacific with their wives are visiting the valley.

Another party of visitors is composed of Elder L. Miller of Elgin, Ill., editor in charge of Dunkard publications and chairman of the World's Missionary Board of the Dunkard church; Elder S. J. Rosenberger, evangelist, of Covington, O.; Rev. Edward Keiser of Lordsburg, Cal., and J. S. Kuns of Covina, Cal., accompanied by George L. McDonough, colonization agent of the Union Pacific Railroad, of which company they were the guests.

PLANTING COTTONWOODS.

Secretary D. D. Lawrence of the Imperial Chamber of Commerce reports the distribution of over 7000 cottonwood trees, two carloads of which were brought from Yuma by the chamber. They were sold at cost, 5 cents apiece, to be planted as street trees. A third car has been ordered.

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If you have not visited our Rug Department lately you will be greatly surprised at the immense stock of

New Rugs

that we are showing. New Rugs have been coming in almost daily, and our department is full of new ideas and late designs.

We have just received a large shipment of fine Turkish Rugs, ranging in price from $3.00 up to $125.

Do your rug buying now while the stock is new and complete. Third floor.

30x60-inch all wool Smyrna Rugs, heavy fringe, all over and Oriental designs in red, green, dark blue, etc. Price $2.25

27x63-inch Electra Velvet Rugs, soft rich colorings, medallions, floral and Oriental designs. Price $3.50

36x63 heavy, all wool Smyrna Rugs, in rich dark colorings; green, tan, dark red, etc. Price $4.00

7½x10½-foot extra heavy, all wool Smyrna Rugs, medallion and Oriental designs. Price $20.00

9x12-foot Eureka, all wool Smyrna Rug, in all over designs. Price $25.00

36x36-inch, best quality Bigelow Wilton Rugs, rich dark colorings in Oriental designs. Price $6.00

Embroidery Sale

This morning we will place on sale over 20,000 yards of fine Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook edges and insertions that sell regularly from 35c to $1.50 the yard, at only 25c the yard. The edges are from 5 to 18 inches wide and the insertions are from 2½ to 4½ inches wide. They are excellent values at their regular prices but you may

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Los Angeles agency for Hemingway Silks.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

Los Angeles agents for Old Bleach Linens.

New silk shirt waist suits

Shirt waist suits of Foulards and Taffetas that possess an unmistakable look of newness. Nothing commonplace about them, not even in the fifteen-dollar sorts.

At $15—Of satin Foulard in white or black polka dots. Shirt waist accordion pleated; full sleeves; tucked cuffs; gored skirt with hem and tucks.

At $18.50—Of satin Foulards; small and large polka dots on black or blue grounds; buttons, fagoting stitching, tucks and box pleats. One style with lace front, at the same price.

At $22.50—Of Taffeta in small black-and-white shepherd checks. Some with yoke effects.

At $25—Of Peau de Cygne in blue, black or gun metal grounds; also in gun metal Taffetas. Solid colors.

Shirt waist suits of black Taffetas and Peau de Cygnes in pin dots, checks and striped patterns, at..... *$25 and $27.50*

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The popular hand-embroidered Poppy handkerchiefs, our own designs, with French corners or wreath of poppies—hand embroidered on sheer linen, hemstitched, at $1.00 each, or $5.50 per half dozen, on Friday and Saturday only. Regularly $1.50 each.
These are souvenirs of California that will be highly prized because of their usefulness.

Linen towels 'way down

Something over 800 dozen linen towels came to us at a price we've no hopes of getting again. Besides giving you that saving we're going to share our regular profits and let you have the towels at practically a third under actual value.
Shrewd housekeepers will lay in a year's supply.

21x42-inch all-linen, hemstitched, 20c; worth 25c.
22x45-inch all-linen, hemstitched, 25c; worth 35c.
24x43-inch all-linen, hemstitched; 45c; worth 75c.
24x46-inch all-linen, hemstitched, 60c; worth $1.00.
25x45-inch all-linen, hemstitched, 85c; worth $1.35.
20x39-inch part-linen, hemmed, 16½c; worth 22½c.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.
317-325 South Broadway

New ribbons
A lavish abundance of the very latest and richest ribbons off the looms. For hat trimmings and the new girdle belts; graduated and ring polka dots, Dresden and Oriental centers with satin edges have the call. Five to eight-inch widths.
Splendid showing of 4 and 5-inch plaids and fancy ribbons, as well as black and white, for neckwear.
An exceptionally strong value in 4-inch satin taffetas, all colors, at 35c a yard.

Los Angeles agents for Fosso Corsets.

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It has always been difficult to find something different from the regular lines until recently we have made special effort and secured a line that is exceptionally odd and far from anything previously shown. They improve a table setting and add greatly to the appearance of a sideboard. Prices range from 50c to $2.50 each.

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On Broadway, Corner Third

H. JEVNE

A COFFEE ALWAYS LIKED.

When some one comes to us for a coffee and they do not know exactly what they want—only that they wish a good, rich, satisfying coffee—we invariably give them our Mocha and Java. And we notice this, that they almost invariably come again for it—and keep coming. It's a pure, fresh roasted, delicious coffee, and only 40c the pound.

SMOKE JEVNE'S FINE CIGARS

208-210 S. Spring St.—Wilcox Building.

Superior Stoves. Ranges, Oil, Gas and Wood Heating Stoves.
314-316 SOUTH SPRING STREET. Cass & Smurr Stove Co.

Any head can be fitted, any taste can be suited, any man will be pleased with the style and service in

Siegel's $3 Hats

SIEGEL'S $3 HATS

All the new spring styles in derbies or soft shapes—and they're the *same* shapes and styles most makers charge $5.00 for.

A few broken lines of high-class underwear at one-third off.

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One of the New Spring Shoes

For women. And every woman will be interested in seeing this specially new and swell shoe. Made of patent colt with dull mat top, whole foxed, Cuban heel, welt sole, plain toe, lace. A Staub shoe has a beauty and a style all its own. Price of this shoe $4.00.

During the alterations in the store we are selling broken lines of women's shoes at a 20 per cent. discount from regular prices.

C. M. STAUB SHOE CO.
255 S. BROADWAY.

LOS ANGELES FURNITURE CO.

Newly Imported French Wilton Rugs

You will see most artistic specimens of French rug weaving in our north window and we ask you to note the beautifully soft, varied and harmonious color effects, the desirable designs; in fact with a French Wilton rug as a basis any desired color scheme for a room can be secured.

These rugs come in sizes suitable for the largest room and from that down to the small ones to fit into a little cozy corner.

The assortment of beautiful patterns will never be more complete than now, and if you will be wanting one of these grand rugs in two or three months, you should make your selection at once and have your choice reserved.

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Hot House Cucumbers.	Fancy Tomatoes.
Strawberry Rhubarb.	Summer Squash.
Brussels Sprouts.	Fancy Bell Peppers.
Golden Chicory.	Fancy Oyster Plant.
Snowball Cauliflower.	Fancy Egg Plant.
Redondo Lettuce.	New Potatoes.
Fancy Green Onions.	Sweet Potatoes.
Water Cress.	Select Salinas Potatoes.
Tender Radish.	Tender Young Beets.
Tender Beans.	Tender Young Turnips.
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—125 SOUTH SPRING STREET—

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The Ballard Pulmonary Sanatorium, Pasadena, Cal., the best equipped institution in the U. S. for the treatment of **Consumption** Los Angeles office—421½ South Spring St. Write for free book descriptive of institution and treatment.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.**

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	24	15	20	New York	44	14	29
Washington	42	26	30	Buffalo	22	3	13
Pittsburgh	36	30	33	Cincinnati	40	22	31
Chicago	18	6	12	St. Paul	2	*2	0
St. Louis	48	30	39	Kansas City	48	32	40
Los Angeles	72	52	62	Jacksonville	74	54	64

*Below zero.
**The maximum is for January 24; the minimum for January 25. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 25.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.01; at 5 p.m., 30.03. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 54 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 91 per cent.; 5 p.m., 80 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 13 miles. Maximum temperature, 63 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The storm is central this morning in Utah and Colorado. Rain is reported from all the California stations north of the Tehachepi, and snow from Oregon and Washington. Rain has fallen heavily in Western Nevada. Carson City reports 2.04 inches in the past forty-eight hours. Snow has fallen from the Rocky Mountains to the Upper Missouri Valley. The temperature has fallen on the Pacific Slope, except on the southern coast, where it has risen.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather tonight and Friday, with showers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfall in the last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Sacramento	.08	10.14	11.31
San Francisco	.01	12.45	11.49
Fresno	.19	2.67	5.72
San Luis Obispo	.26	6.68	11.85

The pressure has fallen rapidly over the northern half of the Pacific Coast, and conditions are favorable for the approach of another storm. Southeast storm warnings are displayed along the coast from Port Harford northward, and advisory messages have been sent to southern points. The following maximum wind velocities are reported: Eureka, 32 miles an hour from the southeast; North Head, 36, southeast, and Carson City, 36, southwest. The following river readings are reported: Marysville, 19.8 feet, falling; Red Bluff, 21, falling; Tehama, 16.5, falling; Sacramento, 27.5, rising. The crest of the present high water will probably pass Sacramento Friday. Ample warnings have been sent to river points. Forecast:

For Northern California: Rain Friday; brisk to high southeast winds.

Southern California: Cloudy Friday; probably showers; brisk westerly winds.

Nevada: Rain Friday; cooler; high southwest winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Rain Friday; brisk to high southeast winds.

Arizona: Fair in south, rain or snow in north portion, Friday; colder in north and central portions Saturday.

Liners.

Telephone your want advertisement, ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rates, one cent a word each insertion, minimum charge, 25c.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy nor assume responsibility for errors of any kind occuring in telephone advertisements.

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REAL ESTATE ADVERTISERS AND OTHERS: Hereafter all real estate and other classified "Want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday nights in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

GROCERIES AT BEDROCK PRICES ON Second st. 5 lbs. beans, 25c; 10 lbs. prunes, apples, 25c; 5 lbs. figs, currants, raisins, 25c; 5 lbs. pears, 25c; 4 combs honey, 25c; cheese, 12½c; hams, 13½c; bacon, 13½c; picnics, 9c; 10 lbs. Arbuckle, $1; 3 cans cream, 25c; 19 lbs. sugar, $1. ECONOMIC, 231 E. Second st.

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets cleaned and relaid same day if desired. We buy and sell carpets. 627 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217, Home 217.

FOR SALE—BY Y. M. COMPANY, 132 W. FIFTH ST. Bamboo goods, wholesale and retail. TEL. RED 2925.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE firm of Frith Bros. has dissolved partnership and that all bills will be paid and collected by F. W. FRITH, successor. 26

TUBERCULAR PATIENTS CAN RECEIVE every care and attention at reasonable rates at 1301 S. HOPE ST. 'Phone West 46; Home 2926.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets; upholstering and repairing. 229 E. 4th. Tel. Main 715, Home 715.

W. R. BLACKMAN— CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACOUNTANT, 106 HENNE BLDG., Los Angeles.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 1103 E. Seventh st. Tel. Sunset Main 1166; Home 8041.

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FRUIT TREES, palms, choice roses, etc. FANCHER CREEK NURSERY, 737 S. Spring. 27

IF YOU WANT YOUR HOUSE PAINTED by first-class painter, by day or contract, address 1170 E. 34TH. 28

BORDERS SAME PRICE AS PAPER; BEST paint, $1.50 gallon. WALTER, 627 S. Spring.

ELMS DETECTIVE AGENCY— OFFICES WILSON BLK., LOS ANGELES.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 3841, James 8371. MRS. HEATH.

RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING, 10c per line; minimum charge, 30c.

SOCIETY MEETINGS—

G.A.R. ATTENTION! THE VETERAN FIFE and Drum Corps will give another of their entertainments and dance at Harmonial Hall, 139 W. FIFTH ST., Friday evening, February 26, 1904. Admission, 25 cents. 26

PERSONAL—
Business.

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PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. SUNSET PRESS ONE, Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL—MRS. MASSON, THE NOTED London palmist, is at 322 S. Spring st. Readings are conscientious and scientific, and give you the precise information you desire. High-class patronage solicited.

PERSONAL—LEONIE, SEVENTH DAUGHTER of the seventh, can be consulted on all affairs of life and receive my dollar readings for 25 cents at ROOM 18, 812 W. Third st. Hours 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. 27

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business; lawsuits; mineral locations described; speculations; property, love affairs. 416½ S. SPRING ST., room 8. 50c to $1. 27

PERSONAL — THE WHEREABOUTS OF Bertha Eades would like to be known. Address A, box 68, TIMES OFFICE. 27

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PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 331½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING, 10c per line; minimum charge, 30c.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED — AN ELEVATOR BOY; MUST have references; permanent position if satisfactory. Apply B, box 4, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED— HUMMEL BROS. & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

116 and 118 East Second Street, Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast. TELEPHONE MAIN 509. HOME 509.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Ranch hand, Imperial, $30 etc.; man and wife, ranch, $40 etc.; man for nursery, $30 etc.; butter maker, $75 month; married man, ranch, $35 and house; plasterer, contract, presser, clay goods, $2.50 day; boy for office, $15 etc. month; printing press feeder, $9; home place, country, $25 etc. month; laborers and teamsters for Salt Lake R.R., see us; man and wife, home place, New Mexico, $50 etc. and fare; shoe repair man, 40 per cent.; boilermaker, $3.50 day; wood chopper, $3.50; German vegetable gardener, $30 etc., fare refunded; butcher, country, $40 etc.

HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.

Fry cook, $75 etc.; short order cook, $15 etc.; restaurant cook, country, $15 etc.; assistant pastry cook, $40; hotel pastry cook, $60 to $75 etc.; second restaurant cook, $16 etc.; experienced night clerk, $30 etc.; assistant vegetable man, $25 etc.; third cook, $40 etc.; colored man and wife, $50 etc., ranch cook, $30 etc.; bell boy, $10 etc.; assistant pantryman, $25 etc.; pantryman, $12 etc.; dishwasher, $7 and $8 etc.; $35 month; country hotel, waiters, $25 etc.

HOUSEHOLD DEPT.

Housegirl, New Mexico, $25 etc.; 25 housegirls, city and country, $25 and $30 etc.; girls to assist, $15 and $20 etc.

WOMEN'S HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.

Pastry cook, city, $50 month etc.; another, $11 week etc.; 5 boarding-house cooks, $25, $30 and $40 etc.; assist vegetable cook, $25 etc., fine place; colored cook and dishwasher, $30 etc.; 3 chambermaids, beach, $25 etc.; 2 chambermaids, Pasadena, $20 etc.; 40 waitresses, city, Pasadena, Catalina, Monrovia, Redlands, Riverside, and many other good places, $25 etc.; pantry woman, $25 etc.; assist pantry, $20 etc.

26 HUMMEL BROS. CO.

WANTED—JAPANESE INFORMATION BUREAU AND LABORERS' HOME. TEL. MAIN 3949, HOME 7409. 457 TURNER ST. DOMESTIC—Cooks, waiters, porters. Houseworkers, house cleaning by the day. CONTRACT—Ranch hands, railroading, gardening, etc. FIRST-CLASS LABOR PROMPTLY FURNISHED. 26

WANTED—BEWARE OF IMITATIONS— The Moler System Barber and Hairdressing College of San Francisco, Cal., is the only institution on the Pacific Coast teaching the trade. All other so-called barber schools are imitators. Two months with us is equal to two years' shop apprenticeship. Catalogue mailed free. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, San Fran., Cal.

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 542 S. Olive street. 'Phone Main 1947. Home 5728. Strictly first-class and largest agency in this city; carefully-selected male and female help of all descriptions and nationalities furnished promptly; labor furnished by the day.

WANTED— —JAP— —JAPANESE— —JAPANESE HELP— Please telephone MAIN 3071. HOME 978. JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE Room 22, 124½ N. Spring st. 26

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125 W. NINTH ST. Tel. Sunset Main 2530. Home 4608. All kinds of first-class help promptly furnished; house cleaning day or hour; ranch work by contract.

WANTED — NON-UNION CARPENTERS, plasterers and brick masons and plumbers, a limited number. File applications by mail, stating experience and ability. Selections will be made as to ability. Address J. E. PARKINSON COMPANY, Palo Alto, Cal. 28

WANTED—A WIDE-AWAKE, HUSTLING young man of an age between 25 and 35 years, well acquainted with the city; must be a hustler and a man of good appearance and address; commissions only; grand opportunity for the right man; must be able to furnish A-1 reference. Address A, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—HELP, M. E. MISSION JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU. Tel. West 579. Home 3752. House-cleaning department. Furnish most reliable help of all kinds. Ranch hands, city or country. 933 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED YOUNG MEN for clerical vacancies, city and country firms; permanent situations to satisfactory employees; also office men with experience and up-to-date qualifications; terms on application personally. 215 COPP BLDG. 26

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU. 114 E. First st. 'Phones James 8541. Home 3341. Instructions regarding selection of help carefully attended to. 1

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 503 W. Sixth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly—cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. TEL. MAIN 2764; HOME 1353.

WANTED—MARCH 15, NON-UNION FOREMAN for new sash, door and interior finish factory; none but first-class sober man need apply; state wages and experience; no transportation furnished. Address L. W. HOFFECKER, El Paso, Tex.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED PARTY TO sell gilt-edge gold mining stock; unique and original inducements offered; so arranged will sell quickly; large commissions; investigation solicited. ROOM 400, Frost Bldg. 28

WANTED—ENGINEER WANTS POSITION for the summer; ten years' experience with steam; five years' experience with gasoline; will give references as to experience, character, etc. Address B, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED — TWO TEAMS FOR STABLE work, moving soil downhill; wages $3.75 to $4 per day. Apply HORLOCK, 1724 Bargat st., on work half a block beyond end of Adams-st. car line, on south side of street. 26

WANTED — THE HELPMATE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 120 N. MAIN ST., FURNISHES all kinds of reliable help. Phones Main 3003, Home 9027. Wanted, manager for transfer company; must be capable. 26

WANTED — WE TEACH BARBER TRADE and pay you wages while learning; lowest rate on the Coast. Call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., incorporated, 413 N. Main. 27

WANTED—A COMPETENT MAN TO CARE for paying ranch for what can be made from it; comfortable furnished house; ranch completely equipped. W. R. GREENE & BRO., 546 Bradbury Bldg. 28

WANTED — WORKING MAN AS ACTIVE partner in fruit and vegetable business; must have $125; guarantee $17.50 week; work entirely outside; no store; old-established. 215 COPP BLDG. 26

WANTED — WE HAVE POSITIONS OPEN for salesmen, executive, clerical and technical men. $1000 to $5000; ask for booklet. HAPGOODS, suite H, 503 Pioneer Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN CITY RESTAURANT to act as cashier; must be good appearing, quick and come well recommended; $12 up and meals. Address A, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PASTRY COOK at once, who thoroughly understands all kinds of fancy pastry; must have best of references. Call HINMAN CAFE, 819 W. Seventh st. 26

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PASTRY COOK, one who thoroughly understands all kinds of fancy pastry; must have best of references. Call HINMAN CAFE, 819 W. Seventh st. 26

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only 8 weeks required; 2 years saved; positions secured when competent; free catalogue. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F., Cal.

WANTED—A PACKER FOR WHOLESALE furnishing goods house, one who has had experience in this line. Call at COHN, GOLDWATER & CO., 316 N. Los Angeles st. 27

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN, GERMAN or Swede preferred, for light roustabout work around small country hotel. Apply or write GLENDORA HOTEL, Glendora, Cal. 28

WANTED—10 GOOD, LIVE CANVASSERS for Columbia Publishing Co., Chicago, either sex. Apply W. R. BAXTER, 2907 S. Main st., general agent, between 2:30 and 5 p.m. 27

WANTED—A RELIABLE YOUNG MAN TO do janitor work for Los Angeles Business College in exchange for tuition. Call at COLLEGE OFFICE, 212 W. Third st. 26

WANTED — 2 SOLICITORS, VEGETABLE man, pastry cook, laundry driver, bookkeeper, meat cutter. RELIABLE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 330½ S. Broadway. 27

WANTED — VIOLINIST AND CORNET player to join pianist in dance music; engagement March 1. Address or call CHAS. E. KELSO, 205 New High st. 26

WANTED—A FINE APPEARING ELDERLY physician; must be active and good case taker; no traveling; salary $150. Address O, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN AN OUT-OF-town hotel, as night clerk, salary $10 week and board; references required. Address A, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN WITH good references, for driver, salary and commission. Apply in winery on SEVENTH ST., east of river. 29

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED — JAPANESE HELP! HELP!! HELP!!! PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 631 W. Sixth st. Housecleaning department. 'Phones—Home 1078; MAIN 1714. Most reliable helps promptly furnished; ranch work by contract; also Japanese merchandise sold here. 27

WANTED—BOY FOR RANCH; HOME AND wages; colored waiter, experienced; stableman, steady place. "REID'S," 314 W. Second. 26

WANTED—YOUNG MAN NOT AFRAID TO hustle, wants to make good wages. Call today, 206½ S. BROADWAY, room 25. 26

WANTED — SALESMEN FOR MEN AND boys' clothing department, and men's hat department. Inquire at JACOBY BROS. 26

WANTED—A MAN TO CARE FOR YARD in exchange for rent of room. Apply DRUG STORE, Eighth and Olive. 26

WANTED—AT PASADENA TROY LAUNDRY, machine washer, flannel washer; also body ironer. Apply at once. 29

WANTED — PLUMBER TO FIGURE ON work and material. Call at 837 KOHLER ST., between 8 and 9 a.m. 26

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS STICKER hand. Address PALO ALTO PLANING MILL, Palo Alto, Cal. 29

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED BOOK-keeper for two days. Apply 819 W. SEVENTH ST.

WANTED—MAN, $70 PER MONTH; $300 invested; good security. 632 S. SPRING. HOWARD. 26

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN WITH wheel. Apply VIENNA EMPORIUM, 349 S. Broadway. 27

WANTED — BUSHELMEN FOR MEN'S clothing department. Inquire at JACOBY BROS. 26

WANTED—COLORED BOY IN BARBER shop, at once. 207 CURRIER BLDG. 26

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE, $15 wages paid. 122 E. SECOND ST. 27

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CREAMERY butter maker. 123 N. MAIN ST. 26

WANTED—A PRESSER AT 1503 S. MAIN. 26

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS, Female Department, Ramona Block, Corner Third and Spring, Rooms 22-23. Phones Main 2906, Home 1672. Clerk, candy store, $6; child's nurse, $10; women general housework, $15, $20, $25, $30; waitresses, city, beaches and country, $25, restaurants, $8 and $9; 6 waitresses San Diego and Nordhoff, $25 and fare paid; 3 waitresses, ordinary dining-rooms, $25; 10 chambermaids, city, beaches, country, $20, $25; 4 pantrywomen, $7, $8, $9; 3 waitresses cafe, $7; laundress, Barstow, $25 and fare paid; also small hotel, $25; shakers, starchers, mangle girls, $6, $7, $8; body, sleeve, starch and plain ironers, $9, $10, $12; seamstresses, $1, $1.25, $1.50; cook, small hotel, $30. 26

WANTED—SECOND GIRL, $30; PARLOR maid and sew, $25; second girl, $25; housegirl family two, city, no washing, $30; same 3 adults, $25; two housegirls, four in family, $30 each; cook restaurant, light place, $11 week; cook, ten boarders, $30; housegirl, home nights, $30; waitress, two meals, $1 day; nurse invalid lady, some housework, home nights, $25; nurse consumptive, country, $30; laundress Monday and Tuesday, steady, $1.60 day. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's office, 112½ S. Broadway. 26

WANTED— THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 435 S. Broadway. 'Phones M. 1530, Home 8425. Family cook, $35; two good housework places, $30; one, 3 in family, $25; several others, $20 and $25; girls to assist, $20 and $25; middle-aged woman, 2 in family, $15. 26

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PASTRY COOK, $50 to $60; short-order and waffle cook, good wages; 2 experienced chocolate dippers; 2 saleswomen, candy store; experienced hotel and restaurant waitresses, city and country; family cooks; 1 housekeeper; 2 general housework; assist. E. W. REID & CO., 206½ S. Broadway. Both phones 3084. 26

WANTED — CONGENIAL WIDOW LADY, under 43 years of age, can have good home and board in plain private family of three adults in return for her companionship of evenings; at liberty during day; reference. Call after 9 a.m. MRS. JOHNSON, 207 New High st., room 27, on third floor.

WANTED—COMPANY HANDLING LUMBER and building material need services of experienced office girl; answer in own handwriting, giving qualifications, age, experience, references and salary wanted. Address B, box 4, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—A FEW EXPERIENCED SHIRT makers; steady work; good wages paid. Call at the BOSS SHIRT FACTORY, 344 New High st. 28

WANTED — COMPETENT SWEDISH OR German girl, general housework, small family of adults, new modern flat. Call between 9 and 12, 930 S. HOPE ST.

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK, PASTRY cook, 2 solicitors, saleslady, 2 waitresses, experienced. RELIABLE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 330½ S. Broadway. 27

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, in flat; good cook; to sleep out; references required; $30 per month. Apply 1311 W. NINTH ST., city.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FOR SHOW business; no objection to travel. Call 114 W. FIRST, between 10 a.m. and 12; no experience necessary.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG LADIES AS APprentices in ladies' hairdressing and manicuring parlors. 734 S. BROADWAY; references necessary. 28

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FORELADY FOR dressmaking parlor; only one competent need apply; good wages. MME. LARUE, 535 W. Eighth. 26

WANTED—WILL GIVE MAN AND WIFE room and board in exchange for her work at EUREKA HOUSE, corner of Third and Stephenson ave. 26

WANTED—A WOMAN TO WORK A COUPLE of hours each morning except Sunday, Monday Saturday; wages $2.50 per week. 137 W. 16TH. 26

WANTED — COOK, BEACH, $35; WAITresses, city, $25; restaurant, $8; housegirls, $35; day work, $1.50. 331½ S. SPRING, room 10. 26

WANTED—NEAT RELIABLE GIRL FOR general housework and to assist with cooking. Apply today MR. FISHER, 449 S. Spring. 28

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO FILL CANDY boxes Friday and Saturday, $1.50 for the two days. Call early, BUELL, 130 N. Main st. 26

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MILLINERY saleladies; must be first-class. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 241 S. Broadway. 26

WANTED—GOOD STRONG, NEAT, CLEAN girl, two in the family; no washing; girl sleeps home. Call at 206 JOHNSON BLDG. 26

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125½ E. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—WAITRESS, RESTAURANT, $7; country, $25; chocolate girl, $6; nurse, children, $12. "REED'S," 314 W. Second. 26

WANTED—A NURSE WITH SOME EXPErience to do night duty in hospital; permanent position. 1301 S. HOPE.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, in family of 3; light work. Call afternoon, at 1642 INGRAHAM.

WANTED—SALESLADIES ON MILLINERY and cloaks and suits. Apply VIENNA EMPORIUM, 349 S. Broadway. 26

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO ASSIST WITH office work; temporary position. Address B, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEwork, in family of three; wages $12. Apply at 121 S. SPRING ST. 26

WANTED—WHITE OR COLORED EXPErienced waiter for country hotel. Call 625 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHER, one who understands bookkeeping. 207 CURRIER BLDG.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR CHAMBERWORK, two to four hours per day, 15 cents per hour. 630 S. HILL. 26

WANTED —FIVE GIRLS FOR GENERAL housework, $25, $30. 452½ S. BROADWAY, room 20. 27

WANTED—A COOK; NONE BUT FIRST-class cook need apply. 38 ST. JAMES PLACE. 26

WANTED—YOUNG LADY IN A COMEDY sketch. Address A, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MILLINERS, AT once, must be A1. 207 CURRIER BLDG. 26

WANTED—GOOD FINISHER ON LADIES' tailoring; good place. 1227 W. PICO. 26

WANTED—FINISHERS, ALSO LEARNERS on coats. 254 S. BROADWAY, room 28. 27

WANTED—SALES GIRLS AND ERRAND girls. Inquire at JACOBY BROS. 26

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK. Apply 1323 S. FIGUEROA. 26

WANTED—2 WAITRESSES AT ONCE. 207 CURRIER BLDG. 26

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER FAMILIAR with general office work; state experience and salary expected. Address A, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—GOOD CANVASSERS; MONEY-making proposition. 524 S. BROADWAY, room 233. 27

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED—AN A1 BOOK-KEEPER WOULD like a position as book-keeper for a good American or English mining company operating in Mexico; have had mining experience; can give first-class references as to ability and character. Address Z, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION BY ENERGETIC man, experienced storehouseman, timekeeper, thoroughly familiar with bicycle business; some experience in real estate; familiar with mining machinery and material and general handy man. Address BOX 413, Pasadena.

WANTED—OFFICE MAN WITH 14 YEARS' experience with wholesale houses on Los Angeles st., as cashier, book-keeper, price clerk, bill clerk, etc., is open for engagement; refers with permission to all former employers. Address V, box 24, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PROFESSIONAL MUSICIAN, EXperienced organizer, teacher and director, wishes to take charge of young band on reasonable terms; fully responsible and best of references; distance from city no object. Address Z, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN OF COLLEGE education and ability, living permanently in Los Angeles, position in office; willing to begin at bottom; salary no object. Address A, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—EXPERT STENOGRAPHER, 15 years' experience, ex-court reporter, wishes either permanent position or arrangements for desk room in central location. Address A, box 26, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED — GARDEN WORK OF ALL kinds, contracted for, new lawns, fertilizers, gardens fixed up and cared for, etc., gardeners supplied. MORRES, 421 W. Adams. 'Phone 7502. 2

WANTED — POSITION; YOUNG, BRIGHT Jap, very honest, very good, speaks English, saloon or store, wholesale place. S. HARNT, 457 Turner st., Los Angeles city. Answer by letter only. 28

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT BY EXPERIenced book-keeper, stenographer and typewriter; ten years' experience; good references. Address Y, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—CIVIL ENGINEER, 11 YEARS' experience on railroad and construction; have had responsible charge of work; speak Spanish. Address A, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—RANCH WORK BY EASTERN farmer, handy with tools; ten hours' ranch work or carpentering for $30 a month. Please address B, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—A POSITION AS TRAVELING salesman by reliable young man; have had experience in grocery line. Address SALESMAN, room 3, The Okell, 213 S. Main st. 26

WANTED — BOY STARTING IN HIGH school would like work afternoons and Saturdays for room and board; has wheel. Address A, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES A POsition at copying letters at home evenings; more for a pastime than anything else. Address A, box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WISHES EMployment driving wagon, or other outdoor work; wages reasonable; references. Address A, box 88, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WOULD LIKE TO learn carpenter trade; has had some experience; no objection to leaving city. Address A, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN (MARRIED,) position on ranch; thoroughly experienced, except fruit; stock preferred. Address A, box 94, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—POSITION IN MEN'S FURNISHING store as salesman, 3 years' experience and the best of references. C. M. FRANTZ, 907 S. Main.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS cook, with good experience, wishes a position. 631 W. SIXTH ST. 'Phones Home 1078; Main 1714. 27

WANTED—A JAPANESE WANTS SITUAtion as plain cook; willing to assist in general housework, city or Pasadena. K. BANT, 213 Boyd st. 26

WANTED—POSITION BY COACHMAN, EXperienced man, can do gardening and take care of lawn. Address Z, box 77, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER and finisher wants work by day or contract, very cheap. Address B, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED — CARPENTER WITH FULL chest tools desires country work; Mexico preferred. Address B, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED — BUTCHER, EXPERIENCED meat cutter, desires a situation, city or country. Address A, box 3, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—COLORED MAN WANTS POSItion with private family as coachman, best references. ROBERT RHONE, 145 San Pedro. 26

WANTED—JAPANESE WANTS SITUAtion to do any work in afternoon or night. Address A, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—BY A NEAT YOUNG JAPANESE boy, in a store from 9 to 6; speaks good English. Write to SADA, 153 E. 30th. 26

WANTED—JAPANESE, NEAT YOUNG BOY, 14 years old, wants position as schoolboy. 'PHONES HOME 7409, MAIN 3049. 27

WANTED—BRICKLAYER WANTS WORK by job or day. 535½ S. L... ANGELES ST. 'Phone Home 3262. 27

WANTED—RELIABLE GERMAN MASON will do brick or stone work, city references. 'PHONE 2532. 28

WANTED—MACHINIST WANTS WORK IN city. Address 332 BUENA VISTA ST. 26

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—A HIGHLY EDUCATED YOUNG woman wants position as teacher of piano and voice in private family; is congenial, and would make herself useful about house. Address 300 N. BEAUDRY AVE. Phone Red 6151. 26

WANTED—THE HELPMATE HAS HELP OF ALL KINDS. Cooks, waitresses, chambermaids, salesladies, demonstrators, janitors, teamsters, engineers, machinists. PHONE YOUR WANTS MAIN 3003, HOME 9027. 26

WANTED—BY YOUNG PARISIAN LADY, position to do second work, teach French, or as governess, in first-class family; speaks English; references exchanged. Address Z, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTERD—BY YOUNG LADY, POSITION as book-keeper or assistant or general office work; understands stenography and typewriting. 'Phone Home 170. ROOM 64, 303½ S. Spring. 28

WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY, POSITION as book-keeper or assistant, or general office work; understands stenography and typewriting. 'Phone 170. 303½ S. SPRING.

WANTED—POSITION AS DEMONSTRATor by competent lady, who understands her business. 'PHONE GRAND 701, or address Z, box 64, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY GRADUATED nurse as companion or managing housekeeper. Reference. Address K, box 5, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED — ELDERLY WOMAN, THORoughly experienced confinement nurse. Home 'Phone 5161, or call 523 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—MISS WEAVER, EMPLOYMENT office, 240½ S. Broadway, furnishes reliable help. MAIN 974; HOME 6333. 29

WANTED—DRESSMAKER; MAKE SHIRT waists from $1.50 and up. Address A, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—DRESSMAKER WILL GO OUT, $2 per day and car fare. Address A, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—SITUATION BY SWEDISH GIRL for general housework; wages $30. Call 717 W. EIGHTH ST. 26

WANTED — STEADY GIRL, GOOD WITH children and chamberwork, wants a chance. 'PHONE 2502. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED waitresses. Address A, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—AGENTS' GREAT OPPORTUNITY; FREE TRIP TO ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION, also BOARD, ROOM and Paid Admissions. AUTHORIZED EXPOSITION HISTORY IN CAMPBELL'S JOURNAL similar to its Prize History of Chicago and Paris expositions. Everybody wants it. Magazine agents average 25 orders daily. LARGE COMMISSIONS; SPECIAL EXPOSITION NUMBER; outfit and particulars sent free to working agents. FOR 14 CENTS POSTAGE. Address EXPOSITION DEPARTMENT, CAMPBELL'S JOURNAL, St. Louis, Mo.

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WANTED — 10 GOOD, LIVE CANVASSERS for Columbia Publishing Co., Chicago, either sex. Apply W. R. BAXTER, 2907 S. Main st., general agent, between 2:30 and 5 p.m. 27

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BOILERS—

L. A. BOILER WORKS, MFRS. OF BOILers and tanks; special attention given to repair work. 119 REDONDO ST. Tel. Main 3807.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FAITHFUL Japanese couple, man understands perfectly in farming and wife for general housework. T. TASHIMA, 211 Wilmington st. Tel. Main 1647. 29

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH A FEW HUNdred dollars for the purpose of extending a well-established, profitable business; will net from 100 to 200 per cent. on money invested; lady preferred. Address B, box 13, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—PARTNER; OLD-ESTABLISHED city business; young man seeking a good deal of outside driving preferred; some store clerking also; capital $1250; very easy terms can be arranged by reliable man. 215 COPP BLDG. 26

WANTED—A PARTNER; A PRACTICAL man, with some cash, wants first-class plumber with cash to open a shop in Los Angeles, or I would invest in established business. Address A, box 59, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A PARTNER TO TAKE A ONE-half interest in agency of Harrison Blue Flame Coal Oil Stove; good profits. H. L. SHANG, 656 Fifth st., San Diego, Cal. 26

WANTED—PARTNER IN AN ESTABLISHed agency business, $1000 required. Address A, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1500, STUD horse proposition, only horseman considered. 215 COPP BLDG. 26

WANTED—PARTNER WITH A FEW HUNdred dollars at once in good paying business. PHONE 7229. 27

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—BY A LADY WHOSE OCCUPAtion takes her from home during the day, a furnished room for herself and son, aged 5, where the child will be cared for during her absence. Address P.O. BOX 441, Station C, city. 27

WANTED—LADY WILL GIVE HER SERVices two hours each day for room for herself and husband, if close in. Address A, box 48, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED — YOUNG MARRIED COUPLE would like two furnished rooms for housekeeping; state price. MRS. ED RAINIER, 1028 Santee st. 26

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED — TO RENT 5, 10 ACRES OF land, suitable to raise garden truck, with house and water supply for a term of years and privilege to buy. Address A. PESCHELT, 516 Commercial st., Los Angeles. 26

WANTED—A MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, sunshine, gas, electric lights and bath; rent not to exceed $30 if car fare to be paid; $25 if within walking distance; west side preferred; permanent tenant. Phone 5377, or 318 E. 16TH ST. 26

WANTED — 3 OR 4-ROOM FULLY-FURnished cottage in nice locality, year's lease if satisfactory, terms must be reasonable; state full particulars; refined couple. Address A, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—TO RENT A TEN-ROOM HOUSE near center of city; would like to do painting and papering or tinting. Ask for MR. WATSON, Home 'Phone 1426. 26

WANTED—TO RENT A 7 OR 8-ROOM house by March 1; rent reasonable; convenient to car line; no children. Address AVERILL, 1207½ W. Ninth. 26

WANTED — UNFURNISHED FIVE-ROOM flat or cottage, state about bath, gas, electricity, location, and price. Address A, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—UNFURNISHED HOUSE, 5 TO 10 rooms, at Ocean Park; must be good for sub-letting. Apply by letter all week to Z, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—TO RENT DAIRY OR ALFALFA ranch, with stock and implements, by reliable and experienced man. Address BOX 234, Ocean Park. 26

WANTED—A SMALL FURNISHED COTtage or tent house, suburban, near car lines. Apply A, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 27

FOR SALE—A WINTON AUTOMOBILE FOR less than half price. L. A. AUTOMOBILE CO., 300 N. Main st.

WANTED—
Rooms with Board.

WANTED — TWO YOUNG MEN WISH rooms with board in private home or small family hotel; when answering give particulars. Address B, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD FOR MAN and boy, some place like home while father works; state price. Address A, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 27

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To Purchase, Real Estate.

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S. W. corner 8th and Rampart, new, elegant 12-room house, tinted walls, coved ceilings, large reception hall, combination fixtures, hardwood floors, furnace and cellar; lot 65x125; clean corner, high ground and view superb; also 50x125 adjoining on west belonging to same estate, and can be bought in conjunction, making total frontage 115x125, for —$12,500—

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WANTED—THE PROPERTY YOU OFFER FOR SALE. RAPID, RELIABLE SELLING. HIGHEST REFERENCES. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. HILL ST., Wright & Callender Bldg.

WANTED — A NEW OR NEARLY NEW house in Westlake; must have four bedrooms; give location and full particulars or attention; will pay $5000 or possibly $5500 for desirable house. Address B, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—TO PURCHASE 5 OR 6-ROOM new modern house, in Westlake or southwest district; will go as high as $4000 cash; must be choice. Apply to A. T. JERGINS & CO., 325 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—FIVE ACRES FOR CHICKEN ranch, small cottage, near city, car line, school; decent location; for city cottage; give details. Address A, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 26

WANTED—TO BUY VACANT LOT, BEtween Temple and Seventh, Hill and Figueroa sts.; cash for bargain. 226 DOUGLAS. Home 'Phone 2774. 28

WANTED — TO PURCHASE WELL-LOcated, prospective business property, up to $12,000 spot cash. L. L. BOWEN, 202 Frost Bik. 28

WANTED—ALFALFA RANCH, 30 TO 50 acres, near Los Angeles; have a client. L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 26

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND FURniture in any quantity; if you have one piece or a house full we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone Main 1317. Home 2134. COLYEAR'S, 532 S. Main.

WANTED — A NEW UP-TO-DATE LODGing-house; will rent for a term of years; will buy furniture if new; must give price, location and owner, as I mean business. Address A, box 87, TIMES OFFICE. 29

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMING-house if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 205 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or Tel. Home 1844.

WANTED—TO BUY A BAR LICENSE OR bar and license; answer with full particulars; price must be right. Address A, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc. RHOADES & REED, 143 W. Fifth.

WANTED — FURNITURE; WILL PAY more cash than any one. GODDARD, 308 S. Broadway. Home 'Phone 1334. Sunset M. 2444.

WANTED — OLD INDIAN BASKETS AND antiques at 46 N. LOS ROBLES AVE., Pasadena. 1

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING, shoes, etc., highest prices. HOME 7780, RED 8041. 27

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 2151.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE, Home EXCHANGE TWO.

WANTED — WILL PERSONS WHO SAW trouble between passenger and conductor on Garvanza line, East Los Angeles, Tuesday afternoon, please send address to M. W. DAVIS, 32 W. Colorado st., Pasadena? 26

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WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED — RESPONSIBLE CONTRACTOR to build business block and residence in exchange for fine lemon grove. Address box 57, CORONA.

WANTED—IF YOU WANT TO BUILD ANYthing, call up ROBT. D. COATES, 743 E. 25th st. Practical builder. Home 5125; Sunset West 588. 29

WANTED—ONE 125-VOLT ALTERNATING 2-horse electric motor. Address BRENTNER, care Tufts-Lyon Arms Co., 132 S. Spring st. 28

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Rooms.

TO LET—NOTICE—THE HERMOSA, 520 Maple ave., will hereafter be known as the B. & C., under the management of Bowen & Chamberlin; every room has been renovated, nicely papered, painted and refurnished with velvet carpets, new mattresses and in charge of a competent housekeeper, Mrs. Rising, who will gladly show you through the house. You will find our prices low, considering the location and accommodations received, as we will run a first-class house and first-class tenants solicited only. We will have six suites for light housekeeping, with gas ranges, baths, instantaneous heaters which will afford hot and cold water at all times. The remaining rooms will include single rooms and large front rooms which will be rented by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. See housekeeper or BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg., owners.

TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED rooms, single or en suite, with or without baths, hot and cold running water in every room; new hotel, new furniture, furnace heat in every room; elevator service, bell boy service; rates very reasonable; hotel under new management. Call at HOTEL CECIL, corner First and Olive sts., Mrs. E. Lyons, Manager. Formerly manager Ontario Hotel, Ontario. Dining-room attached for regular boarders. Also a la carte. Home 'Phone Priv. Ex. 18.

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TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, 1, 2 or 3-room suites; all outside sunny rooms; flowers, lawn, wide porches; use of 'phone, bath, parlor and laundry; more home-like than many private residences; $8 to $20 per month per room. THE WISCONSIN, 215 W. 10th st., near Hill. 'Phone West 1649. 26

TO LET—IN NICE HOME, ONE BLOCK OF Angel's Flight, elegant furnished rooms; everything new, verandas, flowers, grounds, bath, instantaneous heater; rooms $10 to $20. 230 S. BUNKER HILL AVE. (no signs.) Tel. Home 2234. 26

TO LET — HOUSEKEEPING, FURNISHED parlor-bedroom, with kitchen, bath, instantaneous heater, lawns and veranda; desirable location, Westlake district, on car line. 1525 W. EIGHTH ST. 'Phone Black 1332.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, single or in suites, gas, hot baths, transients. Phone 2814. One block from postoffice. Entrance 506 S. MAIN, corner Ninth and Spring.

TO LET—$16 A MONTH, 2 ROOMS, HOUSEkeeping, furnished complete; new; elegant; hot water; gas range; porcelain bath; telephone; close in. 234 S. FIGUEROA. Also 304 N. FREMONT AVE. 1

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING SUITE, THREE newly furnished, large, sunny rooms, with porch; every convenience; walking distance; only desirable, permanent parties need apply. 611 W. NINTH.

TO LET—A 2-ROOM BAY-WINDOW SUITE for housekeeping; large yards and sunny porches; use of laundry and bath; also another suite with pantry, $13 and $12.50 per month. 300 TEMPLE. 28

TO LET—A VERY DESIRABLE SUITE OF rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; private house; no children; healthful locality. 957 ORANGE ST. Home 3760. Sunset Red 4553. 26

TO LET — NEW FURNISHED SUNNY rooms; also 2 unfurnished for housekeeping. 220 W. 11TH. 29

TO LET — NEW FURNISHED SUNNY rooms; also 3 furnished for housekeeping. 220 W. 11TH. 29

TO LET — TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping; very sunny, with use of kitchen; very cheap; young married couple desired. Call 806 GARLAND AVE. 29

TO LET—ROOMS, BOARD, HOUSEKEEPing; any price or location you want; a free list. LOS ANGELES FURNISHED ROOM DIRECTORY, 316½ S. Spring. 26

TO LET—MARCH 1, TO 4 GENTS, 2 NICE rooms with sitting-room, piano, bath, modern comforts, private house; $1.25 per week each. 626½ WALL ST. 26

TO LET—FOUR COMPLETELY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, 3 beds, ground floor; also neatly furnished sunny sleeping-rooms. 919 MAPLE AVE. 1

TO LET—IN PRIVATE HOUSE, 2 SUNNY front rooms on W. 23d st., rent $12 and $13. Near St. James Park. Address X, box 26, TIMES OFFICE. 27

TO LET—TO ONE OR TWO LADIES, A sunny front room, furnished, with use of kitchen. Apply 721 E. 22D ST., near San Pedro car.

TO LET — OUTSIDE SUNNY ROOMS AT $1.25 up; some with housekeeping privileges; pleasant front yard. 723 N. BROADWAY. 27

TO LET—AT THE PRESCOTT, 433 TEMPLE st.; large, handsome, sunny suite, with bath; also single rooms; modern house. 26

TO LET—FURNISHED, SUITE OF THREE housekeeping rooms, complete and sunny, in quiet clean home. 622 S. FLOWER ST. 26

TO LET—FURNISHED, 2 SUNNY FRONT rooms in private family, housekeeping if desired. 1819 S. FIGUEROA. Hope 3012. 26

TO LET—LARGE, NEWLY FURNISHED front room; also smaller one; reasonable; walking distance. 1344 GRAND AVE. 26

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, choice, modern, close to business. 415 S. FLOWER, or call 720 W. THIRD. 27

TO LET—OFFICES, GROUND FLOOR; ALL conveniences; cheap rent. HANEMAN REALTY CO., 433½ S. Broadway. 27

TO LET—2 LARGE FRONT SUNNY ROOMS, with or without board, in Westlake district. 'PHONE HOPE 4441. Reasonable. 26

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL SUNNY ROOMS FOR housekeeping; close in; prices very reasonable. 316 S. FLOWER. 26

TO LET—2 NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping; gas, screen porch, $12 month. 1015 TEMPLE. 26

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS, private residence, $1.50 and $2 weekly; gentlemen. 1319 S. HILL. 28

TO LET — $10 MONTH AND UPWARD, nice clean unfurnished suites, private bath. 2828 DOWNEY AVE. 27

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED ROOM with complete kitchen adjoining, sink and gas. 1562 S. GRAND. 26

TO LET—LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, $2.50 per week. Call between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. 321 WALL ST. 28

TO LET — NEW FURNISHED SUNNY rooms; also 2 unfurnished for housekeeping. 220 W. 11TH. 29

TO LET—THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS in a new, modern flat; gas, electricity. 1130 S. FLOWER ST. 26

TO LET—2 LARGE FURNISHED ROOMS, housekeeping, for a family. 1310 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 27

TO LET — SINGLE ROOMS AND HOUSEkeeping suite; reasonable. 804½ W. THIRD, corner Flower. 27

TO LET—2 FRONT ROOMS, CONNECTING, furnished for housekeeping; gas stove, $12. 432 S. HOPE. 28

TO LET — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED sunny rooms, modern, new building. 613½ W. SIXTH. 26

TO LET — 2 OR 3 NICELY FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 1008 W. SECOND ST. 26

TO LET — LARGE SUNNY FRONT ROOM, suitable for 2 men; very central. 427 S. MAIN. 26

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, FRONT suite, all conveniences, $4. 137½ N. BROADWAY. 26

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED ROOM FOR housekeeping, bath, pantry, $10. 2521 TEMPLE. 27

TO LET—$4, FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, porcelain bath, modern. 306 S. FIGUEROA. 26

TO LET—2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping, close in. 833½ S. BROADWAY. 27

TO LET—NICE FURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping if desired. 617 W. SEVENTH. 26

TO LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOM, private family, reasonable. 421 W. 17TH. 26

TO LET—FINELY FURNISHED MODERN housekeeping rooms. 409 W. 16TH ST. 27

TO LET—PLEASANT SUNNY ROOM, $1.75; also single room, $1.50. 332 TEMPLE. 27

TO LET — SINGLE OR EN SUITE, TWO furnished rooms. 712 W. FIRST. 26

TO LET — TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms at 1616 S. HOPE. 27

TO LET—
Beach Property.

TO LET—TRANSIENT, PERMANENT AND housekeeping rooms, near bath-house, Long Beach. MATIE H. CHANCE, 323 Pacific ave. 28

TO LET—
Flats.

TO LET— WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

New, modern, colonial flat, 6 rooms, front, sunny south exposure, ... double hardwood polished floors ... including baths, closets, ... and bedroom in white enamel; ... antique Flemish oak; fine ... brick mantel; janitor service; ... references.

ALTHOUSE BROS. ... Both 'Phones 263. ... 324 ...

TO LET—
$20—5 rooms, 2126 W. Flm...
$20—5 rooms, 2313 W. Diamond...
$20—5 rooms, 1002 W. ...
$22.50—6 rooms, 230½ S. ...
$15—4 rooms, 913 W. First...
$16—5 rooms, 246 N. ...
$10—3 rooms, furnished, ...
$15—3 rooms, furnished, ...
T. WIESENDANGER ...

TO LET — ELEGANT, 5 AND ... flats, finely decorated parlor ... room; gas grates, sideboard, ... stationary wash tubs, ... date, at 443-445½ LAKE ST. ... Westlake; adults only.

TO LET—A FINE MODERN ... nice large rooms, never ... rent only $30, water paid ... ner 12th and Birch st. ... tral, then see ROBERTS ... W. Fourth.

TO LET—3 HANDSOME NEW ... rooms; mission style; corner ... tinted walls, polished floors ... ern convenience; rent very ... WARD D. SILENT & CO. ...

TO LET—ONE OF THE FINEST ... flats in the city; beautifully ... bay windows; gas and all ... ences; reasonable rent; no ... SAN JULIAN ST.

TO LET — MARCH 1, ... lower 5-room flat, east front, ... venience; do not look any ... will suit you. Owner, ...

TO LET—A NEW, BEAUTIFUL ... rooms, with instantaneous ... and bathroom. 1420 Star ... ply 514 BYRNE BLDG. ...

TO LET—FLAT, $25; A NEW ... modern flat, ground floor ... st., walking distance ... EN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas ...

TO LET—COMPLETELY ... room flat at 1223 S. Los ... manent tenants only; ... had unfurnished. Inquire ...

TO LET—THE WHOLE OR ... furnished flat, 6 rooms and ... piano and sewing machine ... ity. 947 W. SIXTH ST.

TO LET—5-ROOM LOWER FLAT ... both sides; gas, electricity, ... heater. 226½ S. FREMONT AVE. ... Key next door; no children.

TO LET—HANDSOME 6-ROOM ... modern improvements, close ... sible parties only. Apply ... 'Phone Pico 4921.

TO LET—NEW FLAT, WITH ... electricity, and all conveniences ... service; near Seventh and ... 1219 BASTON.

TO LET—5-ROOM FLAT AND ... also 5-room flat, alcove and ... 720½ S. SPRING ST. ...

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM ... location; rent reasonable ... less in the morning, or ... 1327.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN ... N. Fremont ave.; ... & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas ...

TO LET—NEW, MODERN FLAT ... nicer in city; close in; ... S. LOS ANGELES ST.

TO LET—IN BEAUTIFUL ... new, 6-room flat, close in ... quire 271 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET — MODERN ... flat, corner; no objection to ... 745 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET — 4-ROOM FLAT ... FOURTH, near Hollenbeck ... Macy st.

TO LET—MODERN FLAT ... Alameda st. OWNER, ... 7791.

TO LET — FLAT, ... New, with bath, water paid ...

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, ... gas range, for $17. 729½ ...

TO LET—UNFURNISHED ... room flat, 232 N. BUNKER ...

TO LET — $24, 5-ROOM ... distance; adults. 711 COURT ...

TO LET—
Furnished Flats.

TO LET—FURNISHED, ... Apartments are now ... ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ... Hotel adjoining ... for guests very shortly. In order to fill these ... CUT THE RENTS TO ... ANTS from the prices ... viz., $110 to $120 per month ... TO $60 PER MONTH. These are such THE ... MENTS ON THE COAST ... located in the FINEST ... TION OF THE CITY ... near Seventh, two blocks ... Park. Call and BE SHOWN ... TODAY, or at any time ... either car line out Seventh ... While the RENTS OF ... tain apartments AT ... NOT BE RAISED, others ... higher rents after ... either phone ...

TO LET—FLAT; 5 ROOMS ... complete, linen, silverware ... instantaneous heater; ... ing distance; ... FLOWER.

TO LET — FURNISHED FLAT ... and bath, gas, electricity ... heater, piano, janitor ... noons or evenings, ...

TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ... room flat, all new and ... side rooms. 546 S. FREMONT ... one block west of Figueroa.

TO LET—LOWER FLOOR OF ... house. 1115 S. LOS ANGELES ... Home 1040; Sunset West ...

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ... flat, close in. O. W. ... Broadway, room 1.

TO LET—ONE OF THE CHOICEST ... furnished, modern, sunny ... SEVENTH ST.

TO LET—THE WAIPIO, ... nished flats. 1329 W. SEVENTH ...

TO LET—
Rooms and Board.

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD, ... airy, double front room ... nished, with large windows ... sunshine; in the well-... didly furnished residence ... st., near 10th st.; surrounded ... laid out grounds and ... room has grate for coal ... is heated by furnace ... for two adults. Excellent ... ance. Also a suite of two ... with private bath. TEL. ... 4112.

TO LET—I HAVE JUST TAKEN ... fitted throughout new ... which is to run in connection ... ent established private ... and cold water, gas, electric ... taneous heater, large ... boarders taken, rates ... tion Westlake District. ... HAM, 1232 Ingraham.

TO LET— THE MARION, ... FAMILY HOTEL. ... ROOMS AND SUITES ... BATHS. FINEST ... EVERYTHING NEW ... FIRST-CLASS ...

TO LET — IN BEAUTIFUL ... gantly furnished ... table board; lowest rates ... home, in select neighborhood ... tion room, parlor, ... nice lawn; reference ...

TO LET — SUNNY SOUTH ... rooms, furnished for two ... strictly up-to-date; ... trict; only those ... commodations need apply. ... W. NINTH.

TO LET—LARGE, SUNNY ... first-class table board. ... 8. Grand ave.

TO LET — FINE SUNNY ... with board; also a suite ...

TO LET—ONE OR TWO ... rooms, private home, ... lent private family ... dress A, box 30, TIMES ...

TO LET—A SUITE OF ... rooms, in private family ... home cooking; ... 2626 S. GRAND AVE.

TO LET — EAST FRONT ... furnished, with gas ... ing; terms reasonable. ...

TO LET—NEAR WESTLAKE ... ny rooms, excellent table ... NIE BRAE, 717 S. Alvarado ...

TO LET—MODERN SUNNY ... select board, walking ... ART ST., near W. Seventh ...

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Liners.

TO LET—
Rooms and Board.

TO LET—PRIVATE FAMILY WILL ... a few ladies to room and board, $30 ... 822 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—SUNNY ROOMS WITH BO... delicious southern cooking, at 602 W... WASHINGTON.

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Houses.

TO LET—HOUSES, FLATS, STORES, FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED. COME DIRECT TO A RENTAL FIRM. LISTS AND INFORMATION FREE. CHOICE LIST HOUSES ALSO FOR SA... WRIGHT & CALLENDER, MANAGERS OF RENTAL PROPERT... 323 S. HILL ST., Wright & Callender Bld...

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TO LET—PICO HEIGHTS; NEW 5-ROO... cottage, all or part for rent, furnished ... for housekeeping if wanted; rent reas... Call S. W. CORNER of Tenth ... Pico. MRS. DEPUE.

TO LET—ON MARCH 1, VERY NICE 7-ROO... house, with cellar; corner 25th ... ... 2 car lines and near scho... 'Phone Pico 1953, before 8 a.m., or call 1... 25TH, at same hour.

TO LET—A NICE 8-ROOM COTTAGE, FO... porcelain bath, marble washstands, grate a... mantel, in fact, modern throughout; ... and range for sale. Apply 128 SOUT... CASTLE AVE.

TO LET — THAT VERY DESIRABLE ... 7-room house, 1356 Union ave.; ... conveniences; electricity, instant... heater, etc.; price $30. OWNER, ...

TO LET — 2-STORY LARGE MODER... house, walking distance, 7 rooms and recep... hall, $35, including water, close in. HANEMAN REALTY CO., 433½ S. Broad...

TO LET — SMALL 2-ROOM HOUSE AN... acre of ground; work in neighborhood fo... ... man; references required. Apply 43... PASADENA AVE., city. 'Phone East 2...

TO LET—ELEGANT MODERN COMPLETE... room house, 2623 Grand ave., near corne... Adams and beautiful garden; enjoyment fo... Eastern people. Owner, 1511 S. GRAND. 2...

TO LET — A BEAUTIFUL CORNER COT... with 6 rooms, gas and electricity, al... modern at 1900 E. FOURTH. 'Phone Mac... Near Hollenbeck Park.

TO LET—419 W. 31ST ST., 4-ROOM COT... with barn, between Grand ave. and Figueroa; rent, including water, $17. Own... 1144 S. FLOWER ST.

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN, 2 LOTS, 100x150; ... st.; large barn for 5 to 10 head ... Price $35 per month. W. H. ... 401 Johnson Bldg.

TO LET—NICE 6-ROOM COTTAGE, CLOSE ... lawn, flowers, gas, electric light; rent ... 1219 San Julian st. Call on owner, 1221 SAN JULIAN ST.

TO LET—PRETTY HOUSE, FIVE LARGE ... mantel, bath, lawn, water, $18. ... ST., Vernon. First house from Cen... ave.

TO LET—$22.50, HOUSE OF 5 ROOMS, GAS ... No. 805 W. 11th; key and agent at ... W. 11th. Owner, P.O. BOX 136, Ocean ...

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, NEW AND MOD... 11-room house; everything up-to-date; ... and flowers. 218 W. 25TH ST. House...

TO LET—$20 MONTHLY RENTAL, INCLUD... interest, buys 5-room cottage; small pay... down. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg.

TO LET—4-ROOM COTTAGE, LARGE LOT, ... per month; will lease for one year to ... party. F. M. STAPLES, 322 W. First.

TO LET—NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE, COR... lot, gas, electric light, porcelain bath, ... E. WASHINGTON; no children wanted.

TO LET—5-ROOM, NEW, MODERN, TWO-... house, at No. 1632 W. 24th st. BOW... & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Block.

TO LET—1319 W. 24TH ST., MODERN 6-... room house, gas, bath, electricity, $16; water paid. PHONE PARK 622.

TO LET—5-ROOM, NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, well located, only $20. 433 STIMSON BLOCK. Home 'Phone 6491.

TO LET—10-ROOM HOUSE, 1 ACRE OF ... ground suitable for chicken ranch $35. In... 1375½ N. BROADWAY.

TO LET—8-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, AT ... Normandie ave. See BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—A NEW HOME, SUNNY, SOUTH... rooms, bath and telephone; reasonable ... 1231 MAPLE AVE.

TO LET—7-ROOM HOUSE, $22, AND 6-ROOM ... $18; very close in. Inquire 213 S. ... ST., Jeweler.

TO LET—NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE, 1810 AL... st. Inquire at A. ROTHE, 331 E. Third, ... Western Market.

TO LET—A 6-ROOM NEW HOUSE, ALL ... new conveniences; instantaneous heater, ... 1301 S. UNION.

TO LET—$20; MODERN FIVE-ROOM COT... at 1174 E. 23d st. Apply at 1102 E. ...

TO LET—HOUSES AND FLATS, 4 TO 10 ... DENTON & ABRAMS, 117 S. Broad...

TO LET—5-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE ... 134 W. 22d. Inquire at 141 WEST ...

TO LET—6-ROOM HOUSE, 1290 W. 29TH. ... 223 S. Beaudry. Phone Black 4116.

TO LET—TWO-ROOM COTTAGE, REAR OF ... WALL ST. Gas, sink and toilet. 26

TO LET—5-ROOM HOUSE, NEW, MODERN, ... flat, E. 121 HEWITT ST. 27

TO LET—6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, 829 ... ...ARRY ST. Call 9 to 12 a.m. 28

TO LET—$20. NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, 5 ... and bath. 428 E. 31ST ST. 28

TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE, FULLY IM... 1330 SANTEE ST. 28

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, 262 BONNIE BRAE ST.

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $20, ... at 423 E. 21ST. 27

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Furnished Houses.

TO LET— ... furnished home of 7 rooms, ... etc.; location Southwest, near Adams, ... silver, linen, piano, completely ... Reference required if not known ... Price $90 per month. Inquire at ... HALLDALE AVE.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE, CLOSE IN, ... view, lawn, flowers, good furni... $60 per month to good tenant. R. ... 332 Tajo Bldg., N.W. corner First ... Broadway. 'Phone Home 2225. 27

TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE, COM... furnished, with gas, electric lights, ... grate and mantel, at Ocean Park; ... a good tenant. RICHARDS, 430 ... Bldg.

TO LET—MARCH 1, SOUTHWEST, NICELY ... six-room modern cottage, gas, elec... instantaneous heater, lawn, large ... year, and barn; price $50. 1312 W. ...

TO LET — FULLY FURNISHED 5-ROOM ... barn, chicken yard, fruit and shade ... minutes from Main st. 2800 MICH... AVE. 29

TO LET — FURNISHED 8-ROOM HOUSE, ... S. HILL. 26

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TO LET — DOBINSON INSTITUTE, BE... 10TH AND 11TH, FOR RECIT... RECEPTIONS, AMATEUR DRAMAT... PERFORMANCES, LECTURES, ...; AUDITORIUM CAPACITY 500; ALSO ... HALL AND STUDIOS FOR AR... AND TEACHERS. APPLY DOBINSON SCHOOL OF EX... PRESSION, 1035 S. HOPE. 27

TO LET—BUILDING, 40x134, PART 3-STORY ... floor on Banning st., with drive to ... st. and space for sign on First st. ... suitable for warehouse, laundry, ... any manufacturing business. W. H. ... AGENT, 401 Johnson Bldg. 26

TO LET—LARGE BUSINESS ROOM AND ... right in business center; room is ... occupied, but can be vacated any time. ... A, box 22, TIMES OFFICE, stat... ... of business. 26

TO LET— Flats.

TO LET—
WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
New, modern, colonial flat, [illegible] rooms, front, sunny south exposure, [illegible] double hardwood polished floors throughout, including halls, closets, bathroom, [illegible] and bedroom in white enamel; other [illegible] antique Flemish oak; fine buffet; [illegible] brick mantel; janitor service; water [illegible] references.
ALTHOUSE BROS., Agents, Both 'Phones 263. 234 Laughlin Bldg.

TO LET—
$30—5 rooms, 1016 W. First.
$25—5 rooms, 1015 W. Diamond.
$20—5 rooms, 1068 W. Diamond.
$22.50—4 rooms, 320½ S. Figueroa.
$18—4 rooms, 913 W. First.
$10—3 rooms, 234 N. Fremont.
$16—3 rooms, furnished, 234 N. Fremont.
$16—3 rooms, furnished, 234 N. Fremont.
T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

TO LET — ELEGANT, 4 AND [illegible] flats, finely decorated parlors and [illegible] room; gas grates, sideboard, china [illegible] stationary wash tubs, everything [illegible] date, at 462-462½ LAKE ST., near [illegible] Westlake; adults only.

TO LET—A FINE MODERN 5-ROOM [illegible] nice large rooms, never occupied [illegible] rent only $20, water paid; look at [illegible] near 12th and Birch st., 1 block from [illegible] tral, then see ROBERTS LAND [illegible] W. Fourth.

TO LET—3 HANDSOME NEW FLATS [illegible] rooms; mission style; corner 12th and [illegible] tinted walls, polished floors, and [illegible] ern convenience; rent very reasonable [illegible] WARD D. SILENT & CO., 216-218 [illegible]

TO LET—ONE OF THE FINEST [illegible] flats in the city; beautifully lighted [illegible] bay windows; gas and all modern [illegible] ences; reasonable rent; no children [illegible] SAN JULIAN ST.

TO LET — MARCH 1, UNFURNISHED lower 5-room flat, east front, with [illegible] venience; do not look any further [illegible] will suit you. Owner, 913 VALENCIA [illegible]

TO LET—A NEW, BEAUTIFUL FLAT [illegible] rooms, with instantaneous heater [illegible] and bathroom, 1420 Star, close to [illegible] ply 514 BYRNE BLDG. [illegible]

TO LET—FLAT, $20; A NEW [illegible] modern flat, ground floor, at 122 North [illegible] st., walking distance; no children [illegible] EN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas [illegible]

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED [illegible] room flat at 1223 S. Los Angeles st. [illegible] manent tenants only; if required [illegible] had unfurnished. Inquire 211 S. [illegible]

TO LET—THE WHOLE OR PART OF [illegible] furnished flat, 6 rooms and reception [illegible] piano and sewing machine, gas and [illegible] ity. 942 W. SIXTH ST.

TO LET—5-ROOM LOWER FLAT; [illegible] both sides; gas, electricity, [illegible] heater. 336½ S. FREMONT AVE. [illegible] Key next door; no children.

TO LET—HANDSOME 6-ROOM FLAT [illegible] modern improvements, close in, to [illegible] sible parties only. Apply 1027 S. [illegible] 'Phone Pico 6[illegible].

TO LET—NEW FLAT, WITH GAS [illegible] electricity, and all conveniences; close [illegible] service; near Seventh and Central [illegible] 1219 BASTON.

TO LET—5-ROOM FLAT AND BATH [illegible] also 5-room flat, alcove and bath, at [illegible] 730½ S. SPRING ST. Adults only. [illegible] nished.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM FLAT [illegible] location; rent reasonable. Apply [illegible] late in the morning, or 'PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN FLAT [illegible] N. Fremont ave.; $22 per month [illegible] & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—NEW, MODERN FLAT, [illegible] nicest in city; close in; rent reasonable [illegible] S. LOS ANGELES ST.

TO LET—IN BEAUTIFUL SUNNY [illegible] new, 6-room flat, close in, no children [illegible] quire 871 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET — MODERN SIX-ROOM [illegible] flat, corner, no objection to children [illegible] 740 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET — 4-ROOM FLAT AT [illegible] FOURTH, near Hollenbeck Park [illegible] Macy 81.

TO LET—MODERN FLATS [illegible] Figueroa st. OWNER, 1374 Figueroa [illegible]

TO LET — FLAT, [illegible] New, with bath, water paid, [illegible]

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, WITH BATH [illegible] gas range, for $17. 729½ MAPLE AVE. [illegible]

TO LET—UNFURNISHED [illegible] room flat, 303 N. BUNKER HILL [illegible]

TO LET — $16, 3-ROOM [illegible] distance; adults. 701 COURT [illegible]

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—FURNISHED; THE [illegible] Apartments are now completed [illegible] ELEGANTLY FURNISHED, and [illegible] made Hotel adjoining same will [illegible] for guests very shortly.
In order to fill these apartments [illegible] CUT THE RENTS TO DESIRABLE [illegible] ANTS from the prices [illegible] TO $40 PER MONTH [illegible] $18 to $20 per month TO [illegible]
These are much THE FINEST AP[illegible] MENTS ON THE COAST, and [illegible] located in the FINEST RESIDENCE [illegible] TION OF THE CITY [illegible] near Seventh, two blocks beyond [illegible] Park.
Call and BE SHOWN THROUGH [illegible] TODAY, or at any time, [illegible] either car line out Seventh st. [illegible]
While the RENTS OF TENANTS [illegible] tain apartments AT THESE PRICES [illegible] NOT BE RAISED, others will be [illegible] higher rents after 30 days.
Either phone 269. BARR REALTY [illegible]

TO LET—FLAT; 5 ROOMS, FURNISHED complete, linen, silverware, china [illegible] instantaneous heater; everything [illegible] ing distance; to see is to take [illegible] FLOWER.

TO LET — FURNISHED FLAT, [illegible] and bath, gas, electricity, [illegible] heater, piano, janitor service. [illegible] noons or evenings. 803 W. NINTH [illegible]

TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED [illegible] room flat, all new and first-class [illegible] side rooms. 340 S. FREMONT, corner [illegible] one block west of Figueroa.

TO LET—LOWER FLOOR OF FURNISHED house. 1125 S. LOS ANGELES ST. [illegible] Home 2840; Sunset West 334.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] flat, close in. G. W. BURTON, 145 [illegible] Broadway, room 1.

TO LET—ONE OF THE CHOICEST [illegible] furnished, modern sunny flats. [illegible] SEVENTH ST.

TO LET—THE WAIPIO, ELEGANTLY [illegible] nished flats. 1235 W. SEVENTH ST. [illegible]

TO LET— Rooms and Board.

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD; A [illegible] airy, double front room, handsomely [illegible] nished, with large windows and [illegible] sunshine, in the well-appointed [illegible] didly furnished residence, No. [illegible] st., near 18th st.; surrounded by [illegible] laid out grounds and wide [illegible] room has grate for coal fire and [illegible] is heated by furnace. Price [illegible] for two adults. Excellent table [illegible] ance. Also a suite of two connecting [illegible] with private bath. TEL. WEST [illegible]

TO LET—I HAVE JUST TAKEN A [illegible] fitted throughout new and modern [illegible] which is to run in connection with [illegible] ent established private boarding [illegible] and cold water, gas, electric lights [illegible] taneous heater, large sunny [illegible] boarders taken, rates reasonable [illegible] tion Westlake District. MRS. [illegible] HAM, 1236 Ingraham.

TO LET—
THE MARION,
[illegible] S. HILL ST.
FAMILY HOTEL, BEAUTIFUL [illegible] ROOMS AND SUITES, WITH [illegible] BATHS. FINEST HOME [illegible] EVERYTHING NEW AND [illegible] FIRST-CLASS.

TO LET — IN BEAUTIFUL [illegible] gantly furnished sunny rooms [illegible] table board; lowest rates for [illegible] home, in select neighborhood [illegible] tion room, parlor, bath, [illegible] nice lawn; reference. Call [illegible]

TO LET — SUNNY SOUTH [illegible] rooms, furnished for two people [illegible] strictly up-to-date; situated in [illegible] trict; only those looking for [illegible] commodations need apply. [illegible] W. NINTH.

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY [illegible] first-class table board. THE [illegible] S. Grand ave.

TO LET — FINE SUNNY [illegible] with board, also a suite. [illegible]

TO LET—ONE OR TWO [illegible] rooms, private home, [illegible] best private family; [illegible] dress A, box 94, TIMES [illegible]

TO LET—A SUITE OF BEAUTIFUL [illegible] rooms in private family; [illegible] home cooking; all modern [illegible] 1026 S. GRAND AVE.

TO LET — EAST FRONT [illegible] furnished, with gas grate; [illegible] ing; terms reasonable. 1115 [illegible]

TO LET—NEAR WESTLAKE [illegible] ny rooms, excellent table board [illegible] NIE BRAE. 717 S. Alvarado [illegible]

TO LET—MODERN SUNNY [illegible] select board, walking distance [illegible] ART ST., near W. Seventh.

Liners.

TO LET— Rooms and Board.

TO LET—PRIVATE FAMILY WILL TAKE [illegible] young ladies to room and board, $20 each. [illegible] S. HOPE ST. 26

TO LET—SUNNY ROOMS WITH BOARD, [illegible] southern cooking, at 802 WEST WASHINGTON. 28

TO LET— Houses.

TO LET—HOUSES, FLATS, STORES, FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED. COME DIRECT TO A RENTAL FIRM. LISTS AND INFORMATION FREE. [illegible] LIST HOUSES ALSO FOR SALE. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, MANAGERS OF RENTAL PROPERTY, [illegible] S. HILL ST., Wright & Callender Bldg.

TO LET — NEW FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, [illegible] bath, instantaneous heater, large [illegible] corner; matting and rugs at half [illegible] Key on premises. East Side (the [illegible] side.) 2230 MANITOU AVE., corner [illegible] Downey ave. car; $22.50 per month. [illegible] paid. 26

TO LET—PICO HEIGHTS; NEW 5-ROOM [illegible] all or part for rent; furnished for housekeeping if wanted; rent reasonable. Call S.W. CORNER of Tenth and [illegible] MRS. DEPUE. 26

TO LET—ON MARCH 1, VERY NICE 7-ROOM [illegible] house, with cellar; corner 25th and [illegible] 2 car lines and near school. [illegible] Pico 1952, before 8 a.m., or call 1476 [illegible] at same hour.

TO LET—A NICE 8-ROOM COTTAGE, PORCELAIN bath, marble washstands, grate and [illegible] in fact, modern throughout; carpets and range for sale. Apply 128 SOUTH [illegible] AVE. 28

TO LET — THAT VERY DESIRABLE 2-[illegible] house, 1350 Union ave.; all [illegible] conveniences; electricity, instantaneous heater, etc.; price $30. OWNER, 1034 [illegible] 26

TO LET—2-STORY LARGE MODERN [illegible] distance, 7 rooms and reception [illegible] including water, close in. [illegible] REALTY CO., 633½ S. Broadway. 26

TO LET—SMALL 2-ROOM HOUSE AND [illegible] ground; work in neighborhood for [illegible] references required. Apply 4811 [illegible] AVE., city. 'Phone East 275. 26

TO LET—ELEGANT MODERN COMPLETE [illegible] house, 2622 Grand ave. near corner [illegible] and beautiful garden; enjoyment for [illegible] people. Owner. 1511 S. GRAND. 26

TO LET — A BEAUTIFUL CORNER COTTAGE, [illegible] 4 rooms, gas and electricity, all [illegible] at 1900 E. FOURTH. 'Phone Macy [illegible] Hollenbeck Park. 28

TO LET—[illegible] W. 21ST ST., 4-ROOM COTTAGE, with barn, between Grand ave. and [illegible] rent, including water, $17. Owner, [illegible] FLOWER ST. 26

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN, 2 LOTS, 100x150; [illegible] st.; large barn for 5 to 10 head [illegible] Price $35 per month. W. H. [illegible] 401 Johnson Bldg.

TO LET—NICE 6-ROOM COTTAGE, CLOSE [illegible] lawn, flowers, gas, electric light; rent [illegible] San Julian st. Call on owner, 1221 [illegible] JULIAN ST. 27

TO LET—PRETTY HOUSE, FIVE LARGE [illegible] mantel, bath, lawn, water, $18. 1046 [illegible] st., Vernon. First house from Central. 28

TO LET—$12, HOUSE OF 5 ROOMS, GAS, [illegible] 893 W. 11th; key and agent at [illegible] Owner, P.O. BOX 136, Ocean [illegible] 28

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, NEW AND MODERN [illegible] house; everything up-to-date; [illegible] and flowers. 218 W. 35TH ST. House [illegible] 28

TO LET—$3 MONTHLY RENTAL, INCLUDING interest, buys 5-room cottage; small payment down. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 28

TO LET—4-ROOM COTTAGE, LARGE LOT, [illegible] will lease for one year to [illegible] F. M. STAPLES, 222 W. First. 28

TO LET—NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE, COR[illegible] gas, electric light, porcelain bath, [illegible] WASHINGTON; no children wanted. 28

TO LET—[illegible] NEW, MODERN, TWO-[illegible] No. 1623 W. 24th st. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Block.

TO LET—[illegible] W. 24TH ST., MODERN 4-[illegible] bath, electricity, $16; [illegible] PINE PARK 629. 28

TO LET—[illegible] NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, [illegible] only $20. 423 STIMSON [illegible] 'Phone 6491. 26

TO LET—[illegible] HOUSE, 1 ACRE OF [illegible] for chicken ranch $25. In[illegible] BROADWAY. 26

TO LET—[illegible] MODERN COTTAGE, AT [illegible] ave. See BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—NEW HOME, SUNNY, SOUTH[illegible] bath and telephone; reasonable [illegible] MAPLE AVE. 28

TO LET—5-ROOM HOUSE, $22, AND 6-ROOM [illegible] $18; very close in. Inquire 313 S. [illegible] ST., Jeweler. 28

TO LET—NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE, 1310 AL[illegible] Inquire at A. ROTHE, 721 E. Third, [illegible] Western Market. 28

TO LET—A 6-ROOM NEW HOUSE, ALL [illegible] conveniences; instantaneous heater, [illegible] S. UNION. 26

TO LET—[illegible] MODERN FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, [illegible] E. 23d st. Apply at 1102 E. [illegible] 28

TO LET—HOUSES AND FLATS, 4 TO 10 [illegible] DENTON & ABRAMS, 117 S. Broadway. 27

TO LET—5-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE, [illegible] W. 22d. Inquire at 141 WEST [illegible] 26

TO LET—5-ROOM HOUSE, 1294 W. 29TH, [illegible] S. Beaudry. Phone Black 4810. 27

TO LET—TWO-ROOM COTTAGE, REAR OF [illegible] ST. Gas, sink and toilet. 26

TO LET—5-ROOM HOUSE, NEW, MODERN, [illegible] E. 121 HEWITT ST. 27

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $23 [illegible] ST. Call 9 to 12 a.m. 26

TO LET—[illegible] NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, 5 [illegible] bath. 428 E. 31ST ST. 28

TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, FULLY IM[illegible] SANTEE ST. 26

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, 262 [illegible] BRAE ST. 28

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $20, [illegible] E. 21ST. 27

TO LET— Furnished Houses.

TO LET—[illegible] furnished home of 7 rooms, [illegible] location Southwest, near Adams, [illegible] silver, linen, piano, completely [illegible] Reference required if not known [illegible] Price $60 per month. Inquire at [illegible] DALE AVE.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE, CLOSE IN, [illegible] view, lawn, flowers, good furni[illegible] per month to good tenant. R. [illegible] Tajo Bldg., N.W. corner First [illegible] way. 'Phone Home 2225. 27

TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE, COMPLETELY furnished, with gas, electric lights, [illegible] and mantel, at Ocean Park; [illegible] good tenant. RICHARDS, 430 [illegible] Bldg.

TO LET—MARCH 1, SOUTHWEST, NICELY [illegible] 5-room modern cottage, gas, elec[illegible] instantaneous heater, lawn, large [illegible] and barn; price $50. 1212 W. [illegible] 28

TO LET—FULLY FURNISHED 5-ROOM [illegible] chicken yard, fruit and shade [illegible] minutes from Main st. 2600 MICH[illegible] 28

TO LET—FURNISHED 8-ROOM HOUSE, [illegible] HILL. 26

TO LET— Stores, Offices, Lodging-houses.

TO LET—[illegible] DOBINSON INSTITUTE, BE[illegible] 10TH AND 11TH, FOR RECIT[illegible] RECEPTIONS, AMATEUR DRAMAT[illegible] PERFORMANCES, LECTURES, ETC.; [illegible] CAPACITY 800; ALSO [illegible] HALL AND STUDIOS FOR AR[illegible] AND TEACHERS. [illegible] DOBINSON SCHOOL OF EX[illegible] 1[illegible] S. HOPE. 27

TO LET—BUILDING, 40x118, PART 2-STORY [illegible] on Banning st., with drive to [illegible] and space for sign on First st. [illegible] suitable for warehouse, laundry, [illegible] manufacturing business. W. H. [illegible] AGENT, 401 Johnson Bldg. 256 S.

TO LET—LARGE BUSINESS ROOM AND [illegible] sign in business center; room is [illegible] but can be vacated any time. [illegible] A, box 83, TIMES OFFICE, stat[illegible] of business. 27

TO LET— Stores, Offices, Lodging-houses.

TO LET—OR FOR SALE—
THAT NEW APARTMENT-HOUSE.
THAT NEW APARTMENT-HOUSE.
Notice, we are just completing 119-121 S. Fremont ave., one block west of Figueroa, 7 minutes' walk from Third and Spring sts., consisting of 13 3-room apartments for light housekeeping, with every modern convenience; high, sightly, beautiful apartments, each one. Go over and investigate; will rent the entire building to one party or will rent each apartment separate to small families without children; large reception halls, veranda and beautifully tinted, colonial front, large stone steps. One of the most complete apartments in our city. Investigate.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN (Owners.)
440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—NEW, LIGHT STORES, 20x60, IN the new business building, N.E. corner Pico and Flower sts. Apply to S. G. MARSHUTZ, owner, 123 S. Spring st., or agents.

TO LET—$40 MONTH, STOREROOM AT NO. 219 New High st., 15x120 feet; lease runs to July 1, 1905. F. P. FROST, 123 S. Broadway. Home 'Phone 1777.

TO LET—GOOD STORE, LARGE DISPLAY window, Broadway near Second; rent low; favorable terms and lease. Address Z, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 26

TO LET—STORE AND BASEMENT FOR rent, 231 W. First st., adjoining Times office. Apply to M'INERNEY, 535 W. Fifth st. 3

TO LET—STORE WITH CONNECTING room; also 4 rooms and bath upstairs, at 446 Santa Fe ave. Inquire 807 CENTRAL AVE. 26

TO LET—FINE OFFICE ON BROADWAY; reasonable rent; free telephone. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 508 S. Broadway. 1

TO LET—CHOICE STORE ON S. BROADWAY; lease; rent only $125 per month. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 508 S. Broadway. 28

TO LET — PART STORE, WITH LARGE show window. 536 S. BROADWAY. Best & Co. 28

TO LET—DESK ROOM, OFFICE SPACE, $10; 'phones and light free. 315 W. FOURTH.

TO LET—DESK IN NICE FURNISHED OFFICE, choice location. 521 BYRNE BLDG. 27

TO LET—HANDSOME FRONT OFFICE, Bradbury Bldg. Inquire ROOM 414. 26

TO LET — DESK AND DESKROOM. Inquire ROOM 335, Copp Bldg. 27

TO LET — DESK ROOM. APPLY 431½ S. SPRING, room 14. 27

TO LET— Farming Lands.

TO LET—260-ACRE RANCH, SAN DIEGO county; will lease for care of ranch; 30 acres orchard, ample water; furnished house; horses and all implements. W. R. GREENE & BRO., 546 Bradbury Bldg. 28

TO LET—16½-ACRE RANCH ON WESTERN ave., near Melrose, $180 per year; will make repairs to house. O. WEID & CO., 81 and 83 Temple Blk. 26

TO LET — 40 ACRES LAND, HOUSE AND barn, near Pasadena, $150 a year. D. C. BURREY, 81 Temple Blk.

TO LET— Miscellaneous.

TO LET—BASEMENT. APPLY W. E. CUMMINGS, Fourth and Broadway. 27

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
FIDELITY REAL ESTATE, LOAN AND INVESTMENT CO.,
634 S. Spring st.
$2850—6-room house, E. Adams, near Central; strictly modern; fine lawn; shrubbery; lot 40x165; barn 20x30; $1000 cash, balance long time, 6 per cent.
$2500—5-room new and modern house, S. Grand ave., lot 45x150; fine neighborhood; 2 car lines; $1400 cash, $1100, 6 per cent.
$1900—New modern 5-room cottage, lot 50x150; $400 cash, balance $25 month, 7 per cent.; Newton st.
We have customers for lots on Central ave.
$500 each—2 lots on McGarry st., 40x124 each; walks and curbs complete; paid for; ½ cash, balance time.
$375—Lot in Huntington Park, ½ block from car line; $100 down, balance $5 per month, 6 per cent.
$600 each—2 lots on Pacific boulevard, Huntington Park, $100 down, balance 6 per cent., $10 per month.
See us for bargains in building lots from $100 up; also acreage property.
$1400—Candy store, including fine soda fountain, 3 show cases, plate-glass shelving, stools, candy tools, $765 cash, balance $30 month. This property is for sale exclusively in our office. We will show you this store at 447½ S. Main; 2 years' lease from Mr. Lewis, owner of the building.
We have two fine dairy propositions; one of 94 milkers, barns and sheds, all complete; 100 tons hay, horses, wagons; one of 35 milkers, horses, wagons and all equipments complete; 5-room house, one acre ground. These two dairies are located in two of the best inland towns in Southern California.
Laundry route for sale.
$2750—6 rooms, modern, elegantly furnished, cement walks, street work done, lot fenced, 15-foot alley; $1000 cash, balance $25 per month.
$1200—2 rooms, pantry, 2 closets, new plastered, ½ block from car line, lot 25x160 to alley; fine lawn, trees, palms and flowers; $400 cash, balance $30 per month, at 7 per cent.
$650—4-room house, lot 44x166, California house, Eastlake Park.
$1900—6-room house, lot 35x130, fenced, cement walks, curbs, street work done, fine place; $1100 cash, balance to suit.
$3325—8-room house, E. Adams st., half block from car line; lovely home, strictly modern; lot 40x165 to 20-foot alley; fine lawn, palms and flowers; $825 cash, balance long time at — per cent. straight loan, or can be paid any time; this place, on account of death in family, must be closed out this week; also, the new furniture of the entire 8 rooms. See us for this bargain.
List your property with us.
S. B. DENNIS, M. J. M'LEES.
'Phone Main 3030. 26

FOR SALE—
CORNER ALVARADO AND 12TH STS.
HANDSOME RESIDENCE PROPERTIES.
THERE ARE FOUR FINE WESTLAKE HOMES, ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF ALVARADO AND 12TH STS. ALL 4 HOUSES ARE OPEN TODAY FOR INSPECTION BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 1 AND 4 P.M. IF YOU WANT TO SEE SOME HANDSOME WESTLAKE HOMES, INSPECT THESE TODAY.
THE TWO LARGER OF THESE FOUR RESIDENCES HAVE ELEVEN AND TWELVE ROOMS EACH; VERY HANDSOME OAK ENTRANCE; FINE QUARTER-SAWED OAK FLOORS; LIGHTING FIXTURES ARE THE VERY NEWEST PATTERN; HANDSOME BUILT-IN BUFFET, HANDSOME MANTEL, WEATHERED OAK, FLEMISH OAK AND WHITE ENAMEL FINISH; THE NEWEST PATTERN OF FINE HARDWARE IS USED; SLEEPING-ROOMS FINISHED IN WHITE ENAMEL, ROCK MAPLE FLOORS; CEMENT BASEMENT; VERY FINE FURNACE; BOTH HOUSES HAVE LARGE BILLIARD-ROOMS, WITH POLISHED FLOORS. THEY ARE THOROUGHLY WELL-BUILT HOMES, MODERN FROM TOP TO BOTTOM. TAKE A LITTLE TIME AND GO OUT AND LOOK THESE OVER.
THE OTHER TWO RESIDENCES ARE SMALLER, HAVING 8 ROOMS. THESE ARE 2 OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE 8-ROOM RESIDENCES IN THE CITY; VERY ARTISTICALLY AND VERY COMFORTABLY ARRANGED; QUARTER-SAWED OAK ENTRANCE, WITH ART-GLASS SIDE LIGHTS; HANDSOME OAK DOORS, WITH HEAVY WROUGHT - IRON FIXTURES; FLOORS ARE OF QUARTER-SAWED OAK; FINISH DOWNSTAIRS IS FLEMISH OAK; ELEGANT PLATE-GLASS WINDOWS; FINE LIGHTING FIXTURES; DINING-ROOM AND LIVING-ROOM HAVE BEAMED CEILINGS; ELEGANT BUILT-IN BUFFET; OLD GOLD BRICK MANTEL WITH OPEN FIREPLACE; CEMENT BASEMENT; FURNACE, LAUNDRY TUBS, COMPLETE MODERN KITCHEN; BEDROOMS FINISHED IN WHITE ENAMEL; ROCK MAPLE FLOORS; SPLENDIDLY WELL CONSTRUCTED HOUSE; FINEST MATERIAL BEING USED. IF YOU WANT AN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE THESE. 26

FOR SALE—
SNAP BARGAINS.
SNAP BARGAINS.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER'S LIST.
SWELL LITTLE 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON BEAUTIFUL WIDE STREET, FULL 50x150-FOOT LOT, SOUTHWEST PART OF CITY, ½ BLOCK FROM CAR LINE, EAST FRONT AT THAT. IT'S SO CHEAP YOU WILL BUY ON SIGHT.
—$6750—
WILL BUY ONE OF THE SWELLEST AND BEST BUILT HOMES IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT; FINE STREET, LARGE LOT, AND EVERY CONVENIENCE. TO SEE IT WILL CONVINCE YOU.
WE HAVE EVERYTHING GOOD ON OUR LIST, AND CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
323 S. HILL ST. 26

FOR SALE—
WESTLAKE HOME BARGAIN.
LOCATED WITHIN ONE BLOCK CORNER ORANGE AND UNION, A STRICTLY MODERN 9-ROOM HOUSE ON HIGH GROUND WITH FINE VIEW OF MOUNTAINS, HAS RECEPTION HALL, LARGE PARLOR WITH FIREPLACE, PRETTY DINING-ROOM, KITCHEN WITH SEPARATE COOK ROOM, SERVANT'S ROOM AND BATH DOWNSTAIRS, HAS FOUR LARGE SLEEPING ROOMS AND PORCELAIN BATH UPSTAIRS, LOTS OF CLOSETS, OAK FLOORS, COMBINATION FIXTURES, FINE TINTED WALLS AND DECORATED CEILINGS, SOLAR HEATER, CELLAR, LARGE SUNNY LOT, FULL OF FLOWERS. WILL TAKE $5500 IF SOLD THIS WEEK. THIS IS A GENUINE BARGAIN.
MEEKINS & DUBLIN CO.,
101 N. BROADWAY. 26

FOR SALE—
AN EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN.
PRICE ONLY $8500; EASY TERMS.
A grand residence, just off S. Figueroa st., containing 9 rooms, with every modern improvement, beautifully and expensively finished; it is entirely new and has never been occupied; no expense has been spared to make this a beautiful and desirable home and it is complete in every detail.
Terms can be made very easy if desired, and only a small amount of money required to complete the purchase, the balance can be arranged to suit purchaser, or an
EXCHANGE might be made, as we would entertain taking other city property for the equity, paying cash difference, if at a higher valuation.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
26 218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—
$5000—New, modern residence, 8 rooms, parlor, enameled white, tinted canary blended, cove ceiling; dining-room oak finish, tinted maroon, 3 colors; fine hardware, costly fixtures, gas and electric; all rooms downstairs have cove ceilings and leaded windows, 4 bedrooms, cellar, yard fenced, 2 instantaneous heaters, elegant mantel; porcelain bath, stairway seats, piano window. Take Washington or 16th-st. car to 1750 Lenox ave. and see this bargain. Also 1681 Roosevelt st., $6250; 1818 Lenox, 12 rooms; 1678 Roosevelt, $5500. Also 5-room cottage, 1706 Normandie, $2100; 6-room bungalow, $3000.
1 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
—$3350—
A new, modern home; six large rooms; near W. Washington st.; this is a very attractive home and exceptionally easy terms can be arranged.
G. M. GIFFEN,
Exclusive Agent,
Room 323, Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway,
Member L. A. Realty Board. 28

FOR SALE—$7500; 12 ROOMS, GREAT BARGAIN; that fine, handsome, new residence, 7 bedrooms, elegant reception hall, parlor, library, dining-room, all decorated, frescoed in latest style, finished in handsome woods; all floors polished hardwood, double thickness; large porch; commanding location; on high ground. Take Washington st. car to 1818 Lenox ave. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Blk. 1

FOR SALE—
$2850—Maple ave., just south of 16th st., nice 5-room cottage, and $2350 will take it.
$3650—Nice 2-story, 6-room home on Flower, north of Washington, and it is yours for less than $4000.
W. H. OBEAR,
26 402 Johnson Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—AS I MUST LEAVE THE CITY at once I will sacrifice my lovely home of 8 rooms, worth $5500; it is almost new, beautifully finished, built by myself for a home in the best part of the southwest; fine lot, with flowers and trees; this is a bargain and will pay you to investigate. Price $4850. R. A. W. BARFOOT, 234 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, $2750, $600 DOWN, balance $20 month; this is a sacrifice. Modern, up-to-date 5-room house, newly decorated, electricity, gas, coal grate, porcelain bath, lawn, fruit trees, flowers, big yard and chicken house; short distance to Westlake Park; nicest part of city; this is positively a bargain. 1627 W. 12TH ST., near Union ave. 27

FOR SALE—HOUSES—
$2100—5 rooms, 1710 Normandie.
$2750—6 rooms, 1671 Normandie.
$5500—8 rooms, 1678 Roosevelt.
$5000—7 rooms, 1710 Lenox st.
$5000—8 rooms, 1750 Lenox st.
$6250—8 rooms, 1681 Roosevelt st.
Santa Monica car, 16th st., to Roosevelt st.
WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—SPECIAL SNAP BARGAIN.
$2300—6-room modern cottage, large lot, abundance of fruits and flowers, house newly painted, street work all in and paid for, choice neighborhood, 30th near Main; $700 cash, $20 month, including interest.
FRANK BAIERSKY & CO., 232 W. First. 26

FOR SALE—
$2500—6 rooms, porcelain bath, etc.; Blaine st., near 10th.
$1600—5 rooms, modern, E. 14th, near Central ave.; easy terms.
$1900—5 rooms, new, Wall st.
GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Lankershim Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—NO. 1704 MAGNOLIA AVE., 5-room cottage with reception hall, just finished and complete, with every convenience; the rooms are of good size and well arranged; price reasonable and easy terms can be arranged. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 27

FOR SALE—MODERN 8-ROOM COTTAGE, with other improvements, in desirable locality, south near cars; income $30; clear; price $3000; terms easy, or will consider exchange for larger place and give gold difference. Address BROKER, box 174, Station C, city. 28

FOR SALE—HOUSES.
$2100—New modern cottage, 5 rooms, porcelain bath, walls tinted, lot 50x123 feet, southwest, on high ground, fine location, $20 monthly. Take 16th-st. Santa Monica car to 1710 Normandie st.
WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 1

FOR SALE—I AM OBLIGED TO SACRIFICE my pretty up-to-date home in one of the best sections of the city for $2750, $600 down, $20 a month; 5 rooms, all new and clean; trees, fruit, lawn, flowers, chicken house, etc. You must see this. 1627 W. 12TH ST. 27

WANTED—HOUSES—FLATS—STORES—
ALL THE TENANTS ALL THE TIME.
RAPID, RELIABLE RENTING.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
MANAGERS OF RENTAL PROPERTY,
323 S. Hill st., Wright & Callender Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEST SECTIONS OF WESTLAKE district; a large list of new, modern, 7, 8, 9 and 10-room houses; prices reasonable; from $6000 to $9500; well worth your time to investigate; no trouble to show. T. W. BROTHERTON, JR., 323 Laughlin.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST, JUST COMPLETED, new, strictly up-to-date 5-room cottage; don't fail to see this at 1810 Reid st. Will build on adjoining lots to suit purchaser on easy terms. E. S. WILLIAMSON, Contractor and Builder, 202 Grant Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, BATH, RECEPTION hall, screen porch, porcelain plumbing, large rooms, strictly modern and just finished, $2800, $1800 cash. 2708 ROXBURY AVE. Take Pico car to Normandy. One block south. Owner. 28

FOR SALE—NEAR MAPLE-AVE. CAR line, fine modern 5-room cottage, east front, lot 40x140 to an alley; for a quick sale price is $2450; easy payments; this cottage is well worth the money. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS; NEW MODERN 5-room cottage, No. 432 E. 30th st.; all modern conveniences; will sell this for small payment down, balance like rent. J. BURRIS MITCHEL & CO., 336 Douglas Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—MENLO PARK TRACT—LOVELY home, 5 rooms, large reception hall, large lot, barn, alley, trees, shrubbery, lawn, chickens, etc. Leaving city. One-half cash. 807 E. 24TH ST. Take San Pedro street car. 28

FOR SALE—A MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE, on Adams st., for $3500, and will take lot up to $1500 in part payment; this is a bargain.
A. T. JERGINS & CO.,
27 508 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — COSY 4-ROOM COTTAGE, bath, gas, large lot, choice fruit trees, bearing, lawn, flowers, fine street, close to Griffith ave. car; also nice lot, Boyle Heights; no agents. MAIN 1993. 28

FOR SALE—ONLY $1950; MODERN FIVE-room cottage, all conveniences, fine lot, 23d near Central ave.; easy terms. PACIFIC REAL ESTATE AND MERCANTILE CO., Stowell Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—$2750; NEW, MODERN, SIX-room house, bath, electric lights, good location, ½ block from car line; take Griffith-ave. car line to 31st. See owner for terms. 839 E. 31ST. 26

FOR SALE—2 NICE 10-ROOM HOUSES ON 10th st. near Main, well rented, lot 100x126 feet, if taken before Tuesday can be had at great bargain. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring st. 28

TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE, COMPLETELY furnished, with gas, electric lights, bath, grate and mantel, at Ocean Park; cheap to a good tenant. RICHARDS, 430 Douglas Bldg. 26

FOR SALE—$2000; 6-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE, round front porch, best plumbing, facing the end of 37th st. on San Julian st., half cash, balance $15 per month. 'PHONE WHITE 4966. 3

FOR SALE — $20 MONTHLY, INCLUDING interest, with small payment, buys 5-room cottage. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—10-ROOM NEW HOUSE, MODERN and complete in every particular; nicely furnished; must sell; price $7000. See OWNER, room 11, 244½ S. Broadway, or 2641 Dalton.

FOR SALE—SOME ONE CAN GET BIG bargain; 7-room, fully modern house, best district; must sell. See, then make offer. G. W. BURTON, 145 S. Broadway, room 1.

FOR SALE—4 LOTS AND 6-ROOM HOUSE, all modern conveniences; bargain for cash or trade for building lot, close in; corner W. FIRST ST. and ROSEMONT AVE. 28

FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGE, STYLISH AND modern, 5-rooms, every convenience; electric cars; $2500; easy terms will double in value. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 29

FOR SALE—$2100; NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, 5 rooms, porcelain bath, walls tinted, lot 40x123 feet; $20 monthly; Santa Fe ave., next S.E. corner of Le Grand st. 1

FOR SALE—$1400; 5-ROOM HOUSE AND lot, patent fence, chicken yard, small barn, 1½ blocks north store. Address M. M. FISKE, Glendale, Cal. 28

FOR SALE—PICO HEIGHTS, $1650; GO SEE new 5-room cottage, high corner lot, at southwest corner 10th and Hidalgo st.; new furniture with it. 26

FOR SALE—9-ROOM HOUSE, TO BE REmoved; must be sold at once; will sell at a bargain. Tel. James 7191. 261 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 3

FOR SALE—2-STORY 8-ROOM HOME, MODern conveniences; large barn, corner lot, lawn flowers, trees. Price $4500. Owner, 221 W. 30TH. 27

FOR SALE—$1800, $200 CASH, $35 PER MO., 5-room new handsome cottage, 987 E. 36th st. CRITT & STRANGMAN, 218 Broadway. 27

FOR SALE — A GREAT SNAP; 6-ROOM modern home, fine lot to alley, only $2250; near office. 2901 CENTRAL AVE. 26

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$2500—Westlake dist., ½ blk. 9th, 60x142.
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Therefore you can buy a fine close-in corner, modern cottage on rear; front ready for flats or double house; will make you good income.
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FOR SALE—A SNAP; LOT ON WOODLAWN ave., between 39th and 40th sts., all street work done; graded, east front. See owner, 3933 WOODLAWN AVE., Take Maple-ave. car.

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FOR SALE—LOT 50x150, 4-ROOM HOUSE on Essex st. near Pico; price $2000. Inquire 726 RUTH AVE. 29

FOR SALE—THE BEST TRACT IN THE city for subdivision. Address OWNER, A. box 2, Times office. 29

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN; 16⅔ ACRES south side Effie street. WILL D. GOULD, Temple Block. 28

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS, 50x150, IN SAN Pedro. Call 142½ N. MAIN. 28

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—
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The northwest corner 16th and Cherry st., lot 50x150, and four 5 and 6-room flats; the flats are well rented to permanent tenants; we are sole agents and can sell at a bargain price.
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$5000—Only $5000; 40x120, on Central ave. near Seventh st., with an extra good 6-room cottage that would cost $2200 at least to build; rents $35 a month and the frontage is very, very cheap at $100 per foot, so you see $5000 is a
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Our option will expire soon, so better not delay to see
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A SNAP BUY.
Reader, what do you think of $65 per foot for 30, 40 or 60 feet frontage on Figueroa st., near Third st.? High, sightly, no better location for flats. Also have a fine corner near the above at a way-down price; owner here now for a few days. Says sell out before I go home; would like to talk this property to one interested in first-class frontage; don't delay, but see
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FOR SALE — BUSINESS PROPERTY, stores, close in, renting $72 month, $8600. Another, renting $45 month, $3500. Beat them and we will buy it. LEE & SMITH, 108 W. Third. 27

FOR SALE—ONLY LOT ON HILL ST. FOR sale, between 7th and 8th, 60x165. R. C. OWENS, 331½ S. Spring st., room 10. 27

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FOR SALE—GOOD FURNITURE OF SIX-room sunny flat, arranged for renting rooms, $150; rent only $18, water paid. GODDARD, 508 S. Broadway.

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The best 34-room house in city; money maker; cheap; must be sold.
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FOR SALE—A RATHER GOOD BUY, PROviding you don't wait till it's gone, is 48 rooms, new and new furniture; all are full of good roomers; for $3200. J. C. FLOYD, 205-6 Mason Operahouse. 26

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, NEWLY-furnished 40-room family hotel, 4 years' lease at about $4 a room; fine location; price $6000; take real estate or rooming-house. ASSOCIATED HOTEL BROKERS, 432 Grant Bldg. 28

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FOR SALE—$600; WE HAVE PEREMPTORY orders to push the sale of a nicely furnished 13-room house, west of Main st.; well worth $750. J. C. OLIVER, 218 S. Broadway, room 318. 28

FOR SALE — 10 ROOMS, NEATLY FURnished, on Olive st.; rent $35; 2 years' lease; $600, part cash. A. WUERZ, 236 Wilcox Bldg., Second and Spring. 28

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN IF SOLD BEfore Monday, newly furnished 25-room rooming-house, corner building, two entrances. 902½ SAN PEDRO ST. 28

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 3 THREE-room flats, new, modern, $160, snap; bargains in all-sized houses. DENTON & ABRAMS, 117 S. Broadway. 27

FOR SALE—$1000; 12-ROOM FAMILY HOtel, net rent only $45; last month's receipts were over $300; illness cause of sale. 1022 S. HILL ST. 29

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FOR SALE—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A good income? See this bargain; 16-room rooming-house. 717 CROCKER ST. 28

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2½, 5, 10, 20 ACRE LOTS.
Rich, sandy loam soil, ten miles south of the city, 4 blocks from electric railway. In the proven berry, alfalfa, pea, bean and garden district.
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A 480-acre subdivision supplied with 225 miners' inches of water, produced from a $9000, 50-horse-power electric motor plant; 1 share of water stock to each acre; guaranteeing a perpetual water supply.
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$200 profit per annum per acre.
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FOR SALE—20-ACRE WALNUT ORCHARD in San Gabriel Valley; income $2000 per year; nicely located; water abundant. Address J. F. UNRUH, rural box 23, El Monte, Cal. 28

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FOR SALE—$3000; 10 ACRES, FRUIT TREES and vines in bearing, house and barn, good soil. MRS. H. STALEY, near Katella school, 2 miles south of Anaheim. 30

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Our carriages are at your service.
Lots 50x135, all in fruit, bearing; one block west from Redondo ave. car line; 2 blocks from $18,000 schoolhouse, and 4 blocks from ocean; $225 per lot; one-fourth cash, balance in 2 years, at 6 per cent.
We have listed with us the cheapest homes, lots and acreage in Long Beach and Alamitos.
HAZELWOOD-SMITH BROS.,
11 Locust ave.,
'Phone Home 109. Long Beach. 27

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH IN BEAUtiful North Pasadena, altitude 1000; pure water, grand view; 5 acres on Los Robles ave.; 3 miles north of Pasadena business center, 5 blocks east of Mt. Lowe electric line; 6-room plastered house, bath, toilet, nickeled plumbing, hot and cold water, reserve water supply tank; barn, shed, chicken-house and corrals, incubator house, incubator and brooder, cooking oven with kettle cemented in; servant's house; place set solid to full-bearing apricots, peaches, figs, walnuts, berries; roses; ¼-acre eucalyptus grove; water piped all over place; price $4500; 300 pullets included. ELBERT E. JOHNSON, Real Estate, Insurance, Loans, Notary, North Pasadena. Telephone Suburban 28.

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FOR SALE—OR RENT, OCEAN PARK, 6-room cottage, completely furnished, Hart ave. C. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 28

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FOR SALE—2 CHOICE LOTS IN OCEAN View tract, Hollywood, at a bargain. D. D. WHITNEY, Owner, 713 Johnson Bldg.

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FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES IN PEACHES and apricots, 18 miles from Los Angeles, ⅝ mile from Vineland station on S.P.R.R., to exchange for vacant lots in Los Angeles. Call on or address OWNER, 846 Beacon st. 28

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$20,000—36-acre alfalfa and dairy ranch at Norwalk, 21 miles southeast of Los Angeles, 15 acres fair stand, 50 acres seeded, 15 acres pasture, balance used for general farming. New 6-room house, barn, pumping plant new, producing 100 inches water. Will take ⅔ in other good clear property.
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$1000—10 acres at Rialto, for beach property or equity in house.
$6500—In ranch property in exchange for city or rooming-house.
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FOR EXCHANGE — 20-ACRE ORANGE grove, with buildings, near Pomona; value $8500; want San Francisco. F. B. SNOVER, 119 S. Broadway. 28

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOT, CLOSE TO business center, Pomona; value $800; will trade for equity. F. B. SNOVER, 119 S. Broadway. 28

FOR EXCHANGE—40 ACRES OF GOOD oil land, McKittrick district; want cottage, land clear. E. A. MILLER, 206½ S. Broadway. 28

FOR EXCHANGE—PETERS & WEBSTER, 315-17 Laughlin Bldg., will sell or exchange your property; large list to select from.

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FOR SALE—ELATERITE ROOFING costs less than shingles, never needs painting; used instead of pitch and gravel, metal tile or slate; the best for roof gardens or warehouse floors; sold on merit and guaranteed. ELATERITE ROOFING CO., 426 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third.

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FOR SALE — THE ENTIRE STOCK OF merchandise of the Red Front Bargain House will be closed out at auction in lots to suit the purchaser; sale commences Saturday, 2 o'clock p.m., at 434 S. Spring st. CALIFORNIA GENERAL MERCANTILE COMPANY. 28

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JEFFERSON'S BIRTH—WHEN?

Iroquois Club Braves Would Like to Know.

Banquet Deferred Until the Query is Answered.

Furnishing of Social Rooms is Now Agitated.

Won't some wiseacre come to the assistance of the local Iroquois Club?

From its earliest existence the club has been indorsing Jeffersonian principles. There is no question about the principles, but when, oh! when, was Thomas Jefferson born?

On the solving of this vexed question hangs the pulling off of the annual Iroquois-Jeffersonian banquet.

And won't someone possessing a calendar designating the holy days of the church loan one to the Iroquois Club? Such a beneficent act would help out mightily.

At a recent meeting of the club the great banquet—at $5 per—was set for April 2. Later a clever member thought that day was Good Friday and a banquet on Good Friday was unthinkable. So a committee was appointed to secure accurate data and report progress. A newspaper man volunteered his services.

Last evening the club's committee, the volunteer and all who had suggestions on the subject of the date of the birth of the great Jefferson were turned down and a new committee appointed.

In the debate it was discovered that April 2 is not Good Friday at all, at all, but falls on a Saturday. A vociferous member said he had it on good authority that Thomas Jefferson was born on April 13, 16—but he got no further. The question of a century's difference in authority could not be harmonized.

Asked for his authority the mixed member said his volunteer newspaper friend had consulted an almanac and published his conclusions in an alleged Democratic sheet. Such authority was instantly repudiated.

Dr. R. V. Day ventured the assertion that Jefferson was born on April 15, but he, too, was laughed to scorn and Frank Garrett was appointed a committee of one to dig up some authority that would be acceptable to the club.

Won't some philanthropist come to Garrett's assistance?

The Iroquois pow wow last evening was characterized more for what it was not than for what was supposed to have been in evidence. The meeting was planned as a whoop-up, but the braves with their whoop didn't materialize. A solemn row of the faithful flanked one side of the wigwam; the "opposition" consisted of an equal number of vacant chairs. There was a suggestion of the alignment of base ball teams—nine on a side, only in this instance the other nine wasn't there.

"Distinguished Democrats, now guests in the city" who were to speak a few words "on live political issues" forgot to put in an appearance.

Ward captains would probably have reported had they been there.

Refreshments! An empty beer keg, a relic of former cheer, and a Mother Hubbard cupboard, were all that could be discovered. Not even a single member of the refreshment committee responded to the loud calls of the chair.

For lack of a more important topic the question of putting the club on a social basis with café and sideboard attachments, was enthusiastically debated. This would mean a $10 per assessment. The limit was too steep for the majority of those present and the matter was passed for future consideration.

Delegates to the annual conference of the State League of Iroquois Clubs, held recently at San Francisco, reported felicitously and the Jeffersonian principles there enunciated were indorsed unanimously.

But when Thomas Jefferson was born is still an open question with the Los Angeles Iroquois Club.

The Reason.

A missionary in China was endeavoring to convert one of the natives.

"Suppose me Christian, me go to Heaven?" remarked Ah Sin.

"Yes," replied the missionary.

"All lite," retorted the heathen; "but what for you no let Chinaman in America when you let him into heaven?"

"Ah," said the missionary, with fervor, "there's no labor party in heaven."—[Argonaut.

PRESIDENT SIGNS.

Ratifications of Canal Treaty are Ready for Exchange With Panama—Personnel of the Commission, Colombians Expectant.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The President today signed the ratifications to be exchanged between the United States and the republic of Panama of the isthmian canal treaty. The exchanges will be between Secretary Hay and Mr. Bunau-Varilla. The President himself does not sign a treaty, but subsequently a proclamation will be issued by him announcing the conclusion of the convention putting it into effect.

PERSONNEL OF COMMISSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The President has completed practically the personnel of the Isthmian Canal Commission. Assurances have been received by the President that C. Ewald Grunsky, of San Francisco, who was tendered an appointment after the declination of Garber, will accept, although his formal acceptance has not been received. Senator Perkins of California said at the White House today that no doubt was entertained of Grunsky's acceptance. It is believed that the seventh member of the commission will be Benjamin Harrod of New Orleans.

It has not been determined definitely what the compensation of the members of the commission will be, but it is known that the President intends that they shall be well paid for their services. The probability seems to be now that the President will send the appointments to the Senate tomorrow.

GRUNSKY WILL ACCEPT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—City Engineer C. E. Grunsky today received a telegram from the President, asking if he would accept a place on the Panama Canal Commission. Grunsky states that he will immediately notify the President of his acceptance. He says that he proposes to pay particular attention to the improvement of sanitary conditions on the isthmus before the work of canal construction is actively begun.

DISCUSS THE CONCESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 25.—Conversations which have occurred between M. Bo, president of the Panama Canal Company, and Ambassador Porter, show that in the opinion of the former, no obstacle will be placed in the way of the transfer of the concession to the United States.

At the Colombia legation, the hope is expressed that the United States will delay the purchase of the concession until the French courts pass upon the two applications submitted to them—first, an order prohibiting the company from concluding the sale; second, an order that company recognize the right of Colombia to her share, which the company holds passed with the sovereignty to Panama. The courts have fixed March 9 for the arguments. It was admitted at the Colombian legation that there is every likelihood of the courts refusing to grant the writ enjoining the company from selling the concession, but every effort will be made to retain the ownership of the Colombian shares in order that Colombia may profit in the distribution of the money paid for the concessions.

RECALL OF WARSHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Ratification of the Panama canal treaty resulted in the immediate recall of the United States warships and about one-half of the marines from the Isthmus, says a Herald dispatch from Panama. The Marblehead, Petrel, Wyoming and two torpedo boats will remain on the Pacific side. The New York, Boston and Bennington will proceed to Callao.

On the Atlantic side, all the warships except two will proceed north for maneuvers. Four hundred and fifty marines under Maj. Cole will leave, Thursday, on the Dixie for Guantanamo. The belief is that they will proceed later to Santo Domingo.

Despite Colombia's internal disturbances, letters just received from there declare that the Colombians are ready to fight as soon as news arrives that the treaty has been ratified. One general in Cartagena is quoted as saying that if the government does not declare war, the troops on the border will invade Panama anyhow.

The last information from the coast is that another regiment of soldiers has been sent from Cartagena to the frontier. Half of the four thousand soldiers originally sent to Titumati have been moved twenty-five miles further up the Darien coast toward Panama.

It is known that Inanaquina, the San Blas chief, has visited Titumati three or four times; American officers have given him notice that the big canoes he has collected near the front, if used to transport Colombian troops, will be sunk. He promised to remain neutral and said he wished peace.

On account of the feeling of the Indians, the Panama govern[ment has] displaced Inanaquina as the [...] chief, and has named Hen[...] whose headquarters are at the [...] of the Rio Diablo, to be [...] General, with a commission [...] army.

San Blas is very friendly [to] Americans, and flies the Pa[...] If the Colombians carry out [...] to attack they cannot reach [...] road section as fast as vess[els] sent from the United St[ates] news of the advance arrives.

ELECTION UNDECID[ED.]

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRE[SS]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[...] dential election in Colombi[a] undecided, according to a [...] patch from Bogota. Gen. [...] has a small majority, and [...] erally believed the elector[al] will declare him Presiden[t] with Gen. Gonzales Valenc[ia] President.

NO IMMEDIATE PAY[MENT.]

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRE[SS]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[...] Shaw was at the sub-trea[sury] where he received a number [...] including E. H. Harriman, [...] lligman, James Stillmann an[d] tine P. Snyder. Respecting [...] ama Canal payment, the [...] said that no call will be [...] depository banks for paym[ent] $50,000,000 involved until the [...] General had passed upon the [...] of the Panama Canal Compa[ny] It is suggested that the T[...] partment will find it necessa[ry] a representative to Paris [...] gate the phases of the liti[gation] pending there, and if this is [...] ment of the $40,000,000 [...] company will be indefinitely [...]

In an interview with [...] Post reporter, Mr. Shaw [...] follows: "No money will be [...] till we are sure of a clear [...] we will secure it beyond [...] time, although it may [...] time to complete the for[...] get the papers in shape."

"Will it be necessary [...] ernment to send a repre[...] Paris?" was asked.

"It may be," Mr. Shaw [...] "The call on the deposit[...] be made in time to have [...] hand a week or more befo[re] fer has to be effected. [...] we had to pay the money [...] ama in ten days, I would [...] call by wire immediately [...] ers are today fully prepa[red] could finance the withd[rawal] out difficulty."

BATTLESHIPS AT GU[ANTANAMO.]

[BY THE ASSOCIATED [PRESS]

GUANTANAMO. (Cuba) [...] Six United States batt[leships] vered at sea off this [...] and today. The aux[iliary] Prairie sailed for Colo[n] is expected to bring [...] ment of marines from [...]

CELEBRATING T[...]

[BY THE ASSOCIATED [PRESS]

COLON, Feb. 25.—The [...] auxiliary cruiser Dixie [...] marines here today, bei[ng] division, and left tonight [...] Lagoon. Her ultimate [...] declared to be Philadelp[hia.]

The celebrations [...] treaty have been almo[st] since that day. The [...] United States flagship Olym[pia] a selection of Panama [...] national airs at the rail[road] terday. During the night [...] offices were resplendent [...] trical illuminations. The[re] work displays in every [...] town until this morning.

TWO PERISH BY FI[RE.]

Flames at Colorado Spring[s] [...] to Have Been Started by T[ramps] Fatal to Girl and Man.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRE[SS]

COLORADO SPRINGS (Col[o]) [...] 25.—Two lives and possibly [...] were lost in a fire that broke [...] o'clock this morning and [...] the entire business section [...] The dead are Maud Lowrey, [...] old girl, and Michael [...] laborer. The property loss [...] The girl perished in her [...] remains of the man were fo[und] debris. Three cheaply [...] buildings were destroyed. T[...] burned in their stalls and [...] had to be shot.

The fire is supposed to [...] started by tramps striking [...] a livery stable near by. [...] fanned the flames to the [...] ings and the entire fire [...] was called out.

INVESTIGATE CHICAGO F[IRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The C[...] cil passed a resolution a[...] Mayor to appoint a special [...] of three Aldermen to inv[estigate] present workings of the [...] partment. The action is a[...] result of the report of the [...] on the Iroquois fire case. [...] has reconsidered its reco[...] lowing the Cleveland Th[eater] in violation of the new [...] nance.

WATCH GRAFTERS MAKE VAIN BL[UFF.]

THE watch graft is busy again. Eddie & Thompson, who have been looking after the legal interests of the large crop of green-goods suckers who stood for the plausible talk of the promoter of the recently-exploded endless-chain watch scheme in this city, have received advices from San Francisco stating the arch grafter there has filed, through his attorneys, suits against between 200 and 300 Los Angeles suckers now holding watches, some of whom had accumulated bad cases of cold feet and were starting to pay their weekly assessments again.

The watch graft has been lying quite still until this move. The grafters have shown no inclination to push the original cases to trial, possibly being themselves conv[...] will be knocked out of [...] as the matter comes [...] ney Thompson said la[st] "This last filing of [...] cal people who were [...] vesting in these watc[hes] more nor less than a [...] made in the hope of [...] as possible of those [...] 'contracts' into renew[...] ments. The watch c[...] anything but anxious to [...] case, as it would do if [...] stand upon. I think [...] any further money [...] of this 'credit compan[y' ...] serious mistake and [...] move. If all stand pa[t ...] fight there will be no [...] ments of a serious [...]

[M]UNROE GETS A BLACK EYE.

[B]ut He Does Not Care, for He Thinks it Lucky.

[W]ill Have the Better of Weight Over Sharkey.

[Sti]llman Disagrees With Boots—Track News.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

[NEW] YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive [Dispa]tch.] Munroe will have a shade [the be]tter of the weights when he steps [into] the ring with Sharkey next Saturday night. Today, at his training [quarters], the miner tipped the scales at [...] pounds, while the ex-sailor failed to [reach] that mark by just sixteen [pou]nds.

"When I started in to train for Munroe, nine weeks ago," said the sailor, "I weighed about 211 pounds. I was [far] from being in good condition. In [fact], I was never in good condition [sin]ce my battle with Jeffries, for the [sim]ple reason that I did very little [trai]ning. During my training period I [hav]e taken off just about twenty-nine [pou]nds in weight. Still, I am strong, [and] better than I have ever been before, and will put up the best fight of [my] career."

[M]unroe looked as though he had [just] come out of a real encounter with [Sha]rkey today, after a lively bout with [Ki]d McCoy." Munroe's left eye came [in] contact with one of the Hoosier['s] fists. As a result, the miner [now] has a badly-discolored optic. The [inj]ury does not trouble Munroe in the [least]. In fact, he believes that is a [good] omen to get a black eye so near [the ba]ttle. McCoy and Munroe do considerable boxing, and the pair cut a [fast] pace, each being compelled to [look] out for serious damage.

[K]LING PUTS UP, [A] MATCH IS MADE.

[CHI]CAGO CATCHER COVERS J. W. CARNEY'S FORFEIT.

[C]ontinuous Pool Game of Nine [H]undred Points, Lasting Six [N]ights, and for Side Bets and En[tire] Gate Receipts Agreed Upon. [J]ohnson Referee.

[H]enry Berry last night deposited [...] in behalf of John Kling, accepting [the] challenge of Joseph W. Carney to [a] continuous pool match; and covering [the] forfeit of that sum. The match [was a]rranged, and the first game will [be p]layed Monday night. Berry has [been] asked to manage the affair for [the] contestants, as they will be too [busy] playing for the championship [toge]ther with gate receipts.

[Kling] and Carney have agreed to [play 9]00 points continuous pool, 150 [each] night beginning next Monday [and co]ntinuing until Friday, inclusive, [playing] the final 150 points a week from [Mond]ay night.

[A si]de bet of $250 a side has been [put up] by the contestants. The men [will] play winner take all, for the en[tire] gate receipts. Articles of agreement will be signed today embodying [the] conditions. The sporting editor [of The] Times holds all the money.

[The] match will be for the championship of the world at continuous pool. [...] Kling is already accorded this [title] by the lovers of the fifteen ball [game], but there are many in this [city w]ho believe that Carney can beat [any m]an living.

[The] match will unquestionably be a [big be]tting propostion, as the Chicago [Nation]al League ball club will be [sure] to back their team mate, and [most] of the racing fraternity will [put] theirs behind Kling, also. On the [other] hand the Northwestern ball [players], now in this city, will back [Carney] to a man and to their under[stud]y. A large downtown contingent [will be] down on the local expert.

[...] Seymour of Berry's last [...] stated in his opinion the con[testant]s are absolutely equally match[ed. Thi]s is a high tribute to Carney, [as Klin]g's superiority over any man [in the] pool has been conceded several [seas]ons in the East.

[...] Johnson, a well-known pool [player], is mutually acceptable to both [contest]ants as referee and will officiate in that capacity. The usual B[...] rules will govern the contest. [Both] have gone into training. Kling [is putting in] two hours every morning

[W]INNING FAVO[RITES] NUMBER [...]

[BY THE ASSOCIATED P[RESS]

[SAN F]RANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Mud[dy go]ing again prevailed for the [races] at Oakland today, but fine [weather] drew a good attendance. Fa[vorites] were not successful, only two [winning] the money. Several races were [won] by close finishes, especially the [...] in which Isabellita, an [outsid]er chance, won by the short[est of] noses from Elmer L., quoted at [...] The Mist, a sister to The Fog, [made] her first appearance in the two-[year-old] race, and showed to be a [good] filly, winning from Edgecliff and [...] She was well played by [her] connections. Bob Ragon, the fa[vorite], stopped badly. Hipponax sud[denly] recovered his speed in the fourth, [and wi]th Bullman in the saddle scored [an eas]y victory over Fair Lady Anna [and ...] Taborito, the favorite. Harry [...] bid Hipponax up from $400 to [...] he was retained. Axminster [...] played as a good thing for the [...], at a mile, but Diderot beat [him] a length in a hard drive.

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Canal Treaty are ...ange With Pan... of the Commission, ...ctant.

...TED PRESS—A.M.]

...dians, the Panama government ... displaced Inanaquina as the principal chief, and has named Henry C... whose headquarters are at the ... of the Rio Diablo, to be Governor General, with a commission in ... army.

San Blas is very friendly to ... Americans, and flies the Panama ... If the Colombians carry out the ... to attack they cannot reach the ... road section as fast as vessels ... sent from the United States ... news of the advance arrives.

ELECTION UNDECIDED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—...]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The ... dential election in Colombia, ... undecided, according to a Herald ... patch from Bogota. Gen. Reyes ... has a small majority, and it is ... erally believed the electoral ... will declare him President ... with Gen. Gonzales Valencia, ... President.

NO IMMEDIATE PAYMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Secretary Shaw was at the sub-treasury today where he received a number of callers including E. H. Harriman, I. N. ...ligman, James Stillmann and Valentine P. Snyder. Respecting the Panama Canal payment, the Secretary said that no call will be issued to depository banks for payment of ... $50,000,000 involved until the Attorney-General had passed upon the validity of the Panama Canal Company's ... It is suggested that the Treasury Department will find it necessary to ... a representative to Paris to investigate the phases of the litigation pending there, and if this is done, payment of the $40,000,000 to the ... company will be indefinitely delayed.

In an interview with an Evening Post reporter, Mr. Shaw is quoted as follows: "No money will be paid until we are sure of a clear title. I think we will secure it beyond all doubt in time, although it may take a ... time to complete the formalities and get the papers in shape."

"Will it be necessary for our government to send a representative to Paris?" was asked.

"It may be," Mr. Shaw answered. "The call on the depository banks will be made in time to have the funds on hand a week or more before the transfer has to be effected. If I thought we had to pay the money over to Panama in ten days, I would send out the call by wire immediately. The bankers are today fully prepared for it and could finance the withdrawals without difficulty."

BATTLESHIPS AT GUANTANAMO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GUANTANAMO (Cuba) Feb. 25.—Six United States battleships ... vered at sea off this port yesterday and today. The auxiliary cruiser Prairie sailed for Colon today. She is expected to bring back a detachment of marines from the isthmus.

CELEBRATING TREATY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLON, Feb. 25.—The United States auxiliary cruiser Dixie embarked ... marines here today, being Maj. C... division, and left tonight for Chiriqui Lagoon. Her ultimate destination is declared to be Philadelphia.

The celebrations over the ... treaty have been almost continuous since that day. The band of the United States flagship Olympia played a selection of Panama and American national airs at the railroad offices yesterday. During the night the railroad offices were resplendent with electrical illuminations. There were ... work displays in every part of ... town until this morning.

TWO PERISH BY FIRE.

Flames at Colorado Springs Supposed to Have Been Started by Tramps Fatal to Girl and Man.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLORADO SPRINGS (Colo.) Feb. 25.—Two lives and possibly a third were lost in a fire that broke out ... o'clock this morning and threatened the entire business section of the ... The dead are Maud Lowrey, a 1... old girl, and Michael McG..., laborer. The property loss is ... The girl perished in her room ... remains of the man were found ... debris. Three cheaply-constructed buildings were destroyed. Three ... burned in their stalls and three ... had to be shot.

The fire is supposed to have started by tramps striking matches in a livery stable near by. The ... fanned the flames to the other buildings and the entire fire department was called out.

INVESTIGATE CHICAGO BU...

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The City Council passed a resolution authorizing the Mayor to appoint a special committee of three Aldermen to investigate the present workings of the building department. The action is admittedly the result of the report of the ... on the Iroquois fire case. The ... has reconsidered its recent ... lowing the Cleveland Theater ... in violation of the new the... nance.

...FTERS ... VAIN BL...

being themselves convinced ... will be knocked out of ... as the matter comes to ... ney Thompson said last ...

"This last filing of ... cal people who were be... vesting in these watch... more nor less than a ... made in the hope of sc... as possible of those ... 'contracts' into renewing ... ments. The watch company ... anything but anxious to ... case, as it would do if it had a ... stand upon. I think anyone ... any further money into the ... of this 'credit company' is ... serious mistake and an ... move. If all stand pat and ... fight there will be no further ... ments of a serious nature."

MUNROE GETS A BLACK EYE.

...t He Does Not Care, for He Thinks it Lucky.

...ll Have the Better of Weight Over Sharkey.

...man Disagrees With Boots—Track News.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Munroe will have a shade ... of the weights when he steps into the ring with Sharkey next Saturday night. Today, at his training ... the miner tipped the scales at ... while the ex-sailor failed to ... that mark by just sixteen ...

"When I started in to train for Munroe ... weeks ago," said the sailor, "I weighed about 211 pounds. I was ... in good condition. In fact, I was never in good condition ... battle with Jeffries, for the ... reason that I did very little ... During my training period I ... off just about twenty-nine ... in weight. Still, I am strong, ... than I have ever been before ... will put up the best fight of ... career."

... looked as though he had ... come out of a real encounter with ... today, after a lively bout with ... McCoy." Munroe's left eye came ... contact with one of the Hoosier ... fists. As a result, the miner ... has a badly-discolored optic. The ... does not trouble Munroe in the ... In fact, he believes that is a ... omen to get a black eye so near ... McCoy and Munroe do considerable boxing, and the pair cut a ... pace, each being compelled to ... out for serious damage.

...LING PUTS UP, MATCH IS MADE.

CHICAGO CATCHER COVERS J. W. CARNEY'S FORFEIT.

Continuous Pool Game of Nine Hundred Points, Lasting Six Nights, and for Side Bets and Entire Gate Receipts Agreed Upon. ... Referee.

Henry Berry last night deposited ... in behalf of John Kling, accepting the challenge of Joseph W. Carney to ... continuous pool match; and covering the forfeit of that sum. The match ... arranged and the first game will ... played Monday night. Berry has ... asked to manage the affair for ... contestants, as they will be too ... playing for the championship ... with gate receipts.

... and Carney have agreed to ... points continuous pool, 150 ... night beginning next Monday ... continuing until Friday, inclusive, ... the final 150 points a week from ... night.

... bet of $250 a side has been ... the contestants. The men ... winner take all, for the entire receipts. Articles of agreement will be signed today embodying ... conditions. The sporting editor ... Times holds all the money. ... will be for the championship of the world at continuous pool. Kling is already accorded this ... by the lovers of the fifteen ball ... but there are many in this ... believe that Carney can beat ... living.

... match will unquestionably be a ... drawing proposition, as the Chicago ... League ball club will be ... back their team mate, and ... of the racing fraternity will ... there behind Kling, also. On the ... hand the Northwestern ball ... now in this city, will back ... a man and to their under... A large downtown contingent ... down on the local expert.

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... Johnson, a well-known pool ... mutually acceptable to both ... as referee and will officiate in that capacity. The usual B... will govern the contest.

... gone into training. Kling ... two hours every morning at the Hoffman. Carney is practicing steadily at every opportunity.

JOCKEY BULLMAN'S TROUBLES.

LEAD TO LOSS OF JOB.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jockey Bullman has had a disagreement with Booth and Hollenbeck over the riding of Formaster in the Derby, and the stable and jockey have parted company. Booth believes, apparently, that Bullman was guilty of careless riding when he tried to send Formaster through on the rail at the first turn. It was at that point that Johnny Daly, on Judge, bumped Formaster and forced him to take the last position. Opinions are divided as to the merits of the controversy. Some are inclined to blame Bullman for trying to get through too small an opening, while a majority of the disinterested racegoers are satisfied that Bombardier would have beaten Formaster if the latter had not been bumped or hindered.

"In future I will ride as a free lance," said Bullman.

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES.

On the Monarch alleys last night the Sporting News team defeated the Santa Fé team by a score of 2587 to 2381. This winds up the play in the Inter-urban League. Scores:

Sporting News—	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Hollen	186	176	180	542	180 2-3
Wilson	172	165	201	538	179 1-3
Menard	136	145	142	423	141
Baron	166	161	146	473	157 2-3
Dee	193	202	216	611	203 2-3
Totals	853	849	885	2587	

Santa Fé—	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Dutton	164	178	192	534	178
Keith	134	132	130	396	132
Lawrence	160	147	159	466	155 1-3
Newburn	142	165	182	479	159 2-3
Graves	160	172	174	506	168 2-3
Totals	760	784	837	2381	

On the Monarch alleys last night the champion Tuxedo team defeated the Crescents three straight games. A large crowd was present. Scores:

Tuxedo—	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Chapelle	169	141	168	478	159 2-3
Craig	152	149	132	433	144 1-3
Benfer	167	184	185	536	178 2-3
Jacobs	177	150	180	507	169
Lustig	182	168	193	543	181
Totals	847	822	828	2497	

Crescents—	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Costello	150	153	153	456	152
Schworm	147	127	131	405	135
Crolic	122	141	135	398	132 2-3
Parkes	121	160	181	462	154
McDowelliski	138	151	141	430	143 1-3
Totals	678	732	741	2151	

New Orleans Races.

New Orleans (La.) Feb. 25.—Mile: North Wind won, Princelet second, Port Warden third; time 1:41 4-5.

Six furlongs: Wreath of Ivy won, Cyprienne second, Our Lillie third; time 1:14 2-5.

Six furlongs: Inquisitive Girl won, Sadduccee second, Presentation third; time 1:13 2-5.

One mile: Miladi Love won, Prodigal Son second, Maritina third; time 1:41 4-5.

One mile and seventy yards: Pronta won, Count 'Em Out second, Velos third; time 1:45.

One mile: Icycle won, Arachne second, Safeguard third; time 1:41 3-5.

Essex Park Summary.

HOT SPRINGS (Ark.) Feb. 25.—Five furlongs: Duelist won, Yo San second, Never Fret third; time 1:03.

Six furlongs, selling: Joe Goss won, Budweiser second, Maverick third; time 1:17 1-4.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling: W. B. Gates won, Malay second, Miss Eon third; time 1:53.

Mile: Stand Pat won, Honolulu second, Mamselle third; time 1:43¼.

Three furlongs: Caroline Goodykoontz won, Lela Murray second, The Lorelei third; time 0:37¼.

Seven furlongs, selling: Almo won, Ralph Young second, Equity third; time 1:31.

Billiard Tournament.

In the fourth game of the three-cushion billiard tournament at Morley's parlors, Ben Merrill last night defeated Frasier 25 to 18.

LOCKED CLERK IN BOX CAR.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 25.—A daring and desperate attempt to carry away the contents of the Southern Pacific safe at the East Side freight office was made tonight by three masked highwaymen.

After robbing M. E. Butler, the night clerk, of his ready cash, and ransacking the office for articles of value, they informed Butler that he must throw open the safe by the time they counted three or have his brains blown out. Baffled in this, they marched him 100 yards up the track to a box car and locked him in until they could make good their escape. He remained a prisoner for nearly an hour before he was discovered by a passer-by.

The actual plunder obtained by the robbers was small.

FAILS TO REACH PORT.

ASTORIA (Or.) Feb. 25.—The schooner W. F. Garms, from San Francisco to Portland, has thus far failed to reach port. The vessel was sighted off the mouth of the Columbia River ten days ago, but could not get in, owing to the rough weather. Later a tugboat went to her assistance, but on account of the heavy seas it was compelled to release her.

Last evening it was reported that the Garms had arrived, but it now appears that the schooner was the A. F. Coats. The Garms may have been driven north.

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... a half furlongs, selling: ... 97 (Travers,) 8 to 1, ... 105 (Bell,) 4 to 1, second; ... (Roach,) 9 to 2, third; ... Dusty Miller, Targette, ... Emil, Hannah Van, Jack Little and Moynard finished as named.

Three and one-half furlongs, purse: The Mist, 109 (J. Martin,) 4 to 1, won; Edgecliff, 105 (Bell,) 11 to 1, second; Saccharate, 105 (J. T. Sheehan,) 7 to 2, third; time 0:44. Bob Ragon, Light of Day, Escobar, Tar Flat, Miss Claude, Velma and Inspector Halpin finished as named.

One mile, selling: Isabellita, 102 (Travers,) even, won; Elmer L., 112 (McHannon,) 10 to 1, second; Searcher, 104 (Crosswaite,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:47. Past Master, Donator, Grand Sachem, Formero and Pearl Diver finished as named.

Six and a half furlongs, selling: Hipponax, 110 (Bullman,) 5 to 1, won; Fair Lady Anna 107 (Bonner,) 12 to 5, second; Mocorito, 107 (Holbrook,) 6 to 5, third; time 1:24. Prince Blazes, Polonius, Kickumbob, The Miller and Penzance finished as named.

Six furlongs: Handpress, 110 (J. Daly,) 2 to 1, won; Glanthus, 104 (Buxton,) 18 to 5, second; Harbor, 97 (Travers,) 21 to 5, third; time 1:16¾. Ethel Abbott, Yellowstone and St. Winnifrede finished as named.

One mile, selling: Diderot, 104 (Travers,) 9 to 2, won; Axminster, 104 (Buxton,) 8 to 5, second; Flaneur, 109 (Bonner,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:44¼. Pat Morrissey, Cloche d'Or, Mechanus and I Know finished as named.

NITRATE RUNS A GRAND RACE.

Durnell's Stake Horse Shows True Form at Last.

Makes a Show of Field and a New Record is Set.

Jane Holly, Joe Yeager's Pet Sprinter, Appears.

Running like the stake horse that he is; played literally off the boards by C. E. Durnell and his connections, and making his field look out of place, Nitrate yesterday ran one of the best races of his life and for the first time since coming to Ascot Park showed his true form. Opening in the betting at 6 to 5, the flood of Durnell money poured into the ring by his owner and friends speedily beat the price down to even money, and from evens to prohibitive odds. Off flying and in front, the bay son of Tea Tray made a runaway of the feature event, never was collared, and flashed under the wire in 1:53¾ for the mile and an eighth, breaking the track record by half a second and establishing a figure for the distance that will probably stand longer than today. On the popular victory the ring, notwithstanding the short odds, suffered one of the worst jolts of the meeting. One horse stood out in the race like a raised letter on a blind man's book; the public, notwithstanding Nitrate's previous failure to run up to his form here, was willing to back him again, and those who thus wagered their money had not an anxious second from start to finish. Never less than a length in advance, he was challenged once in the stretch by Bragg, who ran a grand race in order to land the place money for his backers after getting away none too well. The effort had been too much for the Curl entry and a good ride by Mountain missed the long end of the purse by a full length.

Again in the fifth another fleet performer could not be overlooked on past performances. Jane Holly, running in the name and colors of J. C. Yeager, holder of a world's record at the distance, was immediately installed an odds-on favorite at 4 to 5, but even that short price could not keep the talent off, and gold piece after gold piece dropped into the boxes until 11 to 20 was chalked up against the Yeager trick. As was almost a cinch she ran the heads and hearts out of her field and under a perfect ride by little Hildebrand finished her length in front of Col. Bogey, her only competitor, who distinguished himself by outfooting Emshee for the place in a fine burst of speed almost at the wire. The time was 1:15.

When Murad flashed past the stand winner of the opening event for 4-year-old maidens and upward, the public waited with bated breath to hear her bark. It was a poor bunch, with Inaugurator doped the best. Off poorly he was never prominent until the finish; with a luckier start probably he would have been the winner. There was many a piker's dollar brought home by the victory of Murad; she opened at 15 to 1, but was backed to 8 to 1 by the long chance-taking fraternity.

Blue Miracle, piloted by Mountain, annexed the verdict in the second event without great difficulty, Marta and Neko finishing as named. The six furlongs was done in quick time—1:14¾—and racegoers were rather surprised later on that Jane Holly did not at least equal it.

Sir Hugh's victory in the hurdle handicap at a mile and an eighth again proved the wisdom of the talent, who picked the winner in J. V. Kirby's swift sprinting fencer. Coming right back and repeating his showing of the other day in noteworthy style, Sir Hugh can not be denied his share of the jumps from now on, and will be a good one to watch hereafter, here or elsewhere. Nothing else in the race had any business with him; he finished three lengths to the good and as he pleased, galloping easily.

The sixth came near being a bonanza for the books and would have proved a much-needed gold mine for the ring but for a quiet tip which whispered "Fustian" just before the bugle blew. Straggler, hotly handed out the night before and reserved by many for a good thing to wind up with, ran a very disappointing race and finished next to last, showing no speed and tiring very badly at the finish. He even stumbled once. Fustian, opening at 6 to 5 on a parity with Straggler, received comparatively little of the early play, but about post time the ticket writers dug out "Fus" until they had scrivener's cramp. Charlie Durnell's Iras made up much ground in the stretch after a rather inferior ride at the upper turn. Victor Gilbert's Moor got away, but dogged it badly, being a contestant for last honors throughout. Little Joe Lewis figured Fustian was good enough to show the way, and moved into the lead at the quarter, steadily increasing his advantage up to the final jump.

Today's Entries.

First race, six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upward.

6116 *Miss Betty ... 93
5996 Tombawk ... 100
6130 *Meteora ... 103
6130 Piquet ... 105
6140 Mistletide ... 105
6130 *Jack Richelieu, Jr. ... 105
5720 Bassanio ... 107
6157 Jim Gore II ... 110
6097 *Laureatea ... 110
6094 Estado ... 110
6130 *Judge Napton ... 112
6094 Athelrose ... 112
5996 Gibraltar ... 113
6130 Lady Rice ... 115
5965 Hilary ... 117

Second race, four furlongs, purse, two-year-olds.

6128 Pirelia ... 95
6128 El Otros ... 110
6119 Airship ... 110
(6009) Belle Kinney ... 115
6119 Lady Lasca ... 115

Third race, seven furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and upward.

6104 Emir ... 104
6104 Homage ... 107
6105 Almoner ... 109
6109 Legal Maxim ... 109
6105 Brown Prince ... 109
6154 MacGyle ... 109
6129 Canejo ... 122
6145 Ultrada ... 124

Fourth race, six furlongs, handicap, three-year-olds and upward.

6144 Huapala ... 90
6080 Dargin ... 95
6143 Mezzo ... 99
6045 Pat Bulger ... 100
6061 Best Man ... 102
(6153) Glennevis ... 115
6131 Golden Rule ... 129

Fifth race, one and three-sixteenths miles, selling, four-year-olds and upward.

6156 His Eminence ... 97
6154 Diamante ... 98
6145 Admetus ... 99
6061 *Fortunatus ... 100
6145 *Labor ... 104

Sixth race, one mile, selling, three-year-olds and upward.

6092 Capitol ... 95
6154 Phyz ... 102
6129 Turtle ... 103
6141 Sherry ... 104
6154 Dupont ... 104
6141 Insolence ... 106
6169 Iras ... 107
6121 Inaugurator ... 108
6104 Major Dixon ... 108
6129 McGrathiana Prince ... 108
6141 Dr. Shorb ... 108
(6141) Louwelsea ... 111

*Apprentice allowance.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Thursday, Feb. 25, 1904. Fifty-fifth day. Weather cloudy. Track fast. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. Richard Dwyer, starter.

6164 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Maidens. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6001—Murad, 4 (Brandon & Co.)	112	1	.....	2 ½	1 1	1 1½	1 2½	Wonderly	15	8
6129—Bessie Welfly, 4 (Fields)	112	2	.....	1 ½	3 3	2 1	2 2	Redfern	3-2	6-5
6121—Inaugurator, 5 (J. J. Moore)	124	8	.....	7 2	7 1½	5 1	3 ½	Hildebr'd	3-2	6-5
6104—Chemist, 4 (G. Lanka)	121	6	.....	6 1	4 1	4 1	4 ½	Anderson	6	8
5960—Revolt, 4 (V. Gilbert)	112	4	.....	3 2	2 2	3 1	5 ½	N. Lewis	8	8
6068—Pirato, 6 (C. E. Sawyer)	120	5	.....	5 h	4 1	6 1	6 2	J. Boland	5	10
6141—Bennett Gray, 5 (Goodin)	120	12	.....	12	9 2	9 2	7 1	Prior	30	60
5792—Ismad, 6 (A. C. Donahoe)	117	7	.....	8 2	8 3	8 1½	8 1	Henderson	15	30
......Lisp, 4 (S. Polk)	115	3	.....	4 1	5 ½	7 1	9 2	W. Waldo	6	12
5960—Annie F., 4 (T. Bessina)	112	10	.....	9 1	10 1½	10 1	10 2	R. Murphy	30	60
......Damiselia, 6 (C. E. Durnell)	122	11	.....	11 ½	12	12	11 1	P. Phillips	10	20
6094—Honduran, a (C. Holcomb)	117	9	.....	10 ½	11 ½	11 1	12	Reeder	50	100

At post ½ min. Off at 2:02¼. Time—0:24¾, 0:49, 1:16.
Murad place 3, show 6-5; Welfly place 4-5, show 2-5; Inaugurator out.
Winner br. m. by Ducat-Edith. Trained by G. Baker.
Scratched—Innsbruck, Cannell, Nell Holton.
Start good. Won easily. Second handily. Third driving.
Murad off flying; went to the front at once; was cleverly ridden. Welfly had no excuses; ran her race. Inaugurator off poorly; had a rough journey. Chemist ran a clever race. Revolt had speed, but quit.

6165 SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6129—Blue Miracle, 4 (Sanders)	104	3	.....	4 1	2 ½	2 2	1 1	Mountain	4	6
6157—Marta, 4 (Mrs. E. Brewster)	109	2	.....	2 ½	3 3	3 ½	2 h	Wonderly	3	5
6144—Neko, 3 (S. G. Morton)	90	7	.....	7 4	6 3	4 ½	3 2	J. Lewis	6	4
6057—Negrusca, 3 (E. J. Baldwin)	88	5	.....	3 2	1 2	1 1½	4 1	Hildebr'd	2	2
6140—Flea, 3 (V. Gilbert)	93	8	.....	8 ½	7 1	7 2	5 1	R. Murphy	4	10
6130—Chief Aloha, 4 (J. Finch)	104	6	.....	5 1	5 ½	6 1	6 1	Feicht	10	20
6133—Sir Christopher, a (Smith)	104	1	.....	1 h	4 1	5 1½	7 2	Sinnott	6	10
6130—Olivilo, 4 (O. V. Stable)	99	10	.....	10	9 1	8 1	8 2	Fitzpatr'k	15	30
6152—Samar, 3 (Beall & Co.)	90	9	.....	9 1	8 1	9 3	9 3	Herbert	30	100
6140—Eva D., 3 (Owl Stable)	90	4	.....	6 1	10	10	10	J. Boyd	6	15

At post ½ min. Off at 2:30½. Time—0:25, 0:49, 1:14¾.
Miracle place 3, show 4-5; Marta place 2, show 4-5; Neko show 3-5.
Winner b. g. by Miracle-Ade Blue. Trained by C. F. Sanders.
Scratched—Roltaire, Lady Fonse.
Start good. Won handily. Second and third driving hard.
Miracle was waited with; Mountain took his time and making his move when straightened away in the stretch; won going away from his field. Neko badly outrun first part; came very fast last quarter. Negrusca dogged it badly. Flea slow to begin.

6166 THIRD RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Hurdle handicap. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6142—Sir Hugh, 4 (J. V. Kirby)	143	1	1 1	1 ½	1 2	1 2	1 2	Schimmel	6-5	7-10
6138—Sharpless, 6 (J. Carroll)	128	7	2 1	3 3	2 2	2 1	2 h	T. Murphy	6	15
6143—Olinthus, a (H. L. Jones Co.)	133	6	4 ½	2 1	3 1	3 3	*3 5	Archibald	7-5	13-5
6106—Maj. Hooker, a (Larsen Co.)	127	5	7	6 2	5 1	5 4	4 ½	T. Otis	15	20
6142—Lurdan, a (A. Melvin)	130	2	5 1	5 3	4 3	4 2	5 5	Sutherland	6	15
6115—Fitz Stockwell, 5 (Strobel)	138	3	3 2	4 ½	6 5	6	6	Dowell	10	20
6143—Decimo, 4 (M. D. Miller)	125	4	6 h	7	7	*		Harrison	30	100

At post ½ min. Off at 3:00¼. Time—2:04¼.
Hugh place 2-5, out show; Sharpless place 4, show 7-5; Olinthus out.
Winner b. g. by Salvator-Scotch Fir. Trained by C. E. Durnell.
Scratched—All About.
Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Hugh just galloped all the way, winning by himself. Sharpless outgamed Olinthus in the final strides for the place. The latter was tiring badly. Maj. Hooker closed ground last half. Lurdan not much. Fitz has no speed.

6167 FOURTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Handicap. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $400.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6131—Nitrate, 6 (C. E. Durnell)	105	1	1 1½	1 1	1 2	1 2	1 1	Redfern	2	4-5
6127—Bragg, 5 (J. Curl)	112	5	2 1	2 1	2 2	2 2	2 4	Mountain	3	6
6024—John McGurk, 6 (P. Dunne)	90	3	5	5	5	4 ½	3 ½	Hildebr'd	2	7
6143—Greenock, a (W. P. Woods)	102	4	3 h	3 n	3 h	3 n	4 3	P. Phillips	3	9-2
(6154)—Grail, 5 (C. Young)	91	2	4 4	4 4	4 2	5	5	J. Lewis	6-5	4

At post ½ min. Off at 3:29¾. Time—0:24¾, 0:49, 1:14¼, 1:40, 1:53¾.
Nitrate place 2-5, out show; Bragg place 1, out show; McGurk out show.
Winner b. h. by Tea Tray-Nineveh. Trained by C. E. Durnell.
Start good. Won ridden out. Second easily. Third driving.
Nitrate had speed. Redfern took no chances and rode him out last furlong. Bragg badly handled. Mountain took things easy till last furlong and made his run too late. McGurk outrun first part; closed like a lion. Greenock was hard ridden all the way. Grail faded to nothing last eighth.

6168 FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(5851)—Jane Holly, 5 (J. C. Yeager)	90	5	.....	2 h	2 2	2 1	1 1	Hildebr'd	4-5	11-20
6144—Col. Bogey, 3 (T. Hurns)	93	3	.....	4 ½	5 1	3 1	2 h	Murphy	6	8
6122—Emshee, 5 (G. H. Moesser)	109	1	.....	1 n	1 n	1 ½	3 3	Mountain	6	20
6144—Evander, 5 (J. M. Cooper)	111	2	.....	3 1	4 ½	5 2	4 1	P. Phillips	6	20
(6130)—Durbar, 3 (J. Curl)	85	6	.....	5 1	3 1	4 1	5 3	J. Lewis	3	5
(6122)—Nanon, a (S. Polk)	102	7	.....	7	6 1	6 1	6 3	Sinnott	4	9
6145—Wager, 4 (S. B. Billings)	102	4	.....	6 ½	7	7	7	Anderson	15	60
6145—Rio Chico, a (A. Harris)	104	Left						Fitzpatr'k	8	20

At post 6 min. Off at 4:05½. Time—0:24, 0:49, 1:15.
Jane place and show out; Bogey place 2, show 4-5; Emshee show 5-2.
Winner ch. m. by Sleipner-Lena Royal. Trained by R. Campbell.
Start good for all but Rio Chico. Won handily. Next two driving.
Holly nicely handled. Hildebrand rode a well-judged race and made his move at the right time. Bogey badly knocked about at half; closed very fast in stretch, just beating Emshee for the place. Evander ran a fair race. Durbar ran poor race. Nanon got a shocking ride. Throw her race out.
Winner bid up from $400 to $800 by John Quinn. Retained.

6169 SIXTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6117—Fustian, 4 (W. Anderson)	96	4	2 ½	1 n	1 h	1 2	1 3	J. Lewis	6-5	4-5
(6092)—Metlakatla, 3 (J. T. Strite)	88	1	1 ½	2 h	3 2	3 2	2 1	Hildebr'd	3	5
6129—Iras, 4 (C. E. Durnell)	94	5	4 3	4 3	4 5	4 5	3 2	Fitzpatr'k	10	30
(6026)—Straggler, a (Boesecke)	109	3	3 2	3 2	2 1½	2 1½	4 5	N. Lewis	6-5	7-5
6049—Moor, 5 (V. Gilbert)	99	2	5	5	5	5	5	R. Murphy	20	40

At post 1 min. Off at 4:29. Time—0:25¼, 0:49¾, 1:14¾, 1:41.
Fustian place 1-3, out show; Metlakatla place 4-5, out show; Iras 4-5.
Winner ch. g. by Margrave-Fen Follett. Trained by W. T. Anderson.
Start good. Won easily. Second and third ridden out.
Lewis rated Fustian in front, and the horse had the race safe all the way. Metlakatla slightly interfered with, dropped out of it, but came very fast in the stretch. Iras ridden all over the track; came like a cyclone last furlong. Straggler badly pocketed on back stretch; had to pull up and go around. He tired badly last eighth. Moor sulked all the way.

TAFT KNOWS THE SUBJECT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Secretary Taft today gave a hearing at the War Department to a number of persons interested in pending legislation relative to the limitation of Philippine commerce to American bottoms. Those present included representatives of shipping, shipbuilding and exporting business. The arguments touched every phase of the situation, with which Secretary Taft appeared to be very familiar.

The only novel proposition today was one that seemed to emanate from Secretary Taft himself, looking to a combination of the pending Frye shipping bill, excluding foreign bottoms from the Philippine trade with the tariff reductions scheme proposed by the Philippine Commission.

CHINESE LABOR ONLY SOLUTION.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Rt. Rev. Joseph C. Hartzell, missionary bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Africa, who has just returned from a tour of the African missions, extending over a period of nine months, during which he traveled about 50,000 miles, said to a representative of the Associated Press today: "The missionary work in Africa is progressing well." Dealing with the much-discussed question of the introduction of Chinese labor into the Transvaal, Bishop Hartzell said: "In order to meet the unusual emergency, I see nothing for it but the importation of Chinese, under strict regulations providing for their eventual return to China."

INDEMNITY SCHOOL LAND.

SALEM (Or.) Feb. 25.—Attorney-General Crawford today rendered an opinion to the effect that if indemnity school land is purchased from the State and is divested of its growth of timber, it afterward being found that the State cannot convey the title to such land, the purchaser is entitled to repayment of the purchase price from the State; but that if the title to such land is found to lie with the United States, persons removing the timber therefrom are accountable to the government for such devastation.

GUFFEY COMPANY'S LOSS.

GALVESTON (Tex.) Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The case of T. J. Oliver against the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company was decided today in the Appellate Court. The Guffey Company loses its mineral rights on 835 acres of land in the Sour Lake oil field, conservatively valued at $500,000. The land was leased, conditional on its immediate improvement, which the defendants failed to undertake, and cancellation resulted.

PUTS INTO PORT, DISTRESSED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The schooner Sausalito, Capt. Rasmussen, fifteen days from Gray's Harbor, for San Pedro, put into port tonight in distress. She left the northern port about the same time as the schooner Emma Utter and weathered the storm in which the latter vessel was wrecked. The Sausalito will need considerable repairing before proceeding to her southern destination.

CRUDE PETROLEUM REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The Census Bureau today issued a preliminary report on the production of crude petroleum in the United States during the calendar year 1902. It shows a total product of 89,275,302 barrels, of 42 gallons each, valued at $71,397,739, against 35,163,513 barrels, valued at $26,963,340, as reported by the eleventh census, which covered the year 1899.

Democratic Leaders Meet.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—William J. Bryan, David B. Hill, Norman F. Mack of Buffalo, James M. Head of Tennessee and J. M. Guffy of Pennsylvania—the latter three members of the National Democratic Committee—met tonight in a room of the Hoffman House. After they came out, Bryan declared "there is no politics in this at all."

Women Garment Makers Strike.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 25.—Three hundred women garment makers struck today against a reduction in wages.

BOTH SIDES OF STORY.

Bert and Morley Give Out Statements.

Latter Stands on League's Rules and Precedent.

Bert Says He Did Not Take Arbitrary Action.

No news of any consequence developed yesterday in the selling out of Manager Morley and the Los Angeles Baseball Association by Bert, Harris and the Pacific Coast League in general. Morley stated his position last night. He stands solely upon the league's rules of order and precedent, without regard to the rights and wrongs of the case. He says:

"In the first place, I contend that the Pacific Coast League has no authority whatsoever to takke a player belonging to any one of the clubs, or give him away for some benefit that may accrue to the league. Our law is not State law, but it is baseball law, and as such is just as binding in our business. There is no precedent for such an action as this, and the by-laws do not provide for it. Bert's telegram indicates the league has assumed this right.

"Second, Dillon has just executed an affidavit showing he had signed with me before Hanlon's claim of his signature—on September 1.

"Further, I claim the representatives of the major leagues, Messrs. Hart and Johnson, expressed themselves perfectly satisfied with the list we submitted to them. Hanlon, acting for the minors, refused to take the responsibility. Now he plays the minor association to get a major league player for his club after the major leagues have expressed satisfaction. I must hand it to Mr. Hanlon—it is a foxy man who can fool one side of a baseball fight, and he must needs be a genius indeed who can pull the wool over the eyes of both parties as Hanlon has done. In submitting this counter-proposition to us in the Dillon matter, he has taken up a matter in behalf of the minors which is none of their business. If this matter ever had a right to go that far, it should come before the National Board of Arbitration. But our ultimatum was the player list in toto or no affiliation. Now I call for a living up to that ultimatum."

Morley wired Ban Johnson as follows yesterday:

"Have the National Association jurisdiction over Dillon, who is claimed by Brooklyn? Did not you and Hart represent both major leagues and vote that we could retain all players then claimed?"

Dillon is afraid he will be forced to go east against his will, as he desires to play ball this year and hardly expects anyone to pay him for laying off.

BERT'S STATEMENT.

MAKES EXPLANATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When Jim Morley, manager of the Los Angeles team, was notified by President Bert yesterday that he was the only magnate to cast a negative vote against entering the National agreement, he called in his secretary and wrote out his resignation.

At this end of the road Morley's action did not create the consternation that his Los Angeles supporters expected it would.

President Bert said today that he had not been officially notified that Morley had resigned, though John Brink is quoted in the morning press dispatches as having sent him a telegram announcing his retirement and protesting against the action of the league.

"I would just like to say a few words about the whole matter," said President Bert, "In the first place, I don't want to be considered as acting in an arbitrary manner. Just before we adjourned at our last meeting Manager Harris made a motion, which was carried, that I be given power to call for a mail or telegraphic vote on matters which I might deem of great importance, and would not want to take the responsibility of myself. Now, Harris and myself had power to settle this whole matter ourselves, for the league gave it to us, but when it came to relinquishing players and entering into such a big contract, I decided to call for a vote. It was a matter of such vital importance to the league that I wanted all the directors to vote on it. I sent them all messages, and Morely's vote was the only dissenting one. Fisher, Harris, Swigert, Cohen and Ewing all voted to accept the terms. I have learned later that Manager Ely of Portland is opposed to letting Castro go, but he had no vote on the matter. President Swigert, who is now here, voted for his club. Ely is a practical baseball man and pretty level headed, and when he gives the matter additional thought, I believe he will fall in line and agree that we have acted for the best interests of everybody. By us giving up three players it might appear to some that the Eastern leagues are getting all the better of the deal, but this is not the case. When we went into session with Johnson, Hart and Hanlon there were eighteen players in dispute, and they were scattered among our six clubs. When we adjourned fifteen of them had been awarded to us and three lost. As I have said, I have only carried out the orders of the league. The directors have voted to go into the national agreement and give up three men, and I am simply conforming to their notions, which I believe are for the best interests of baseball."

FIVE LIVES LOST AT MINNIE HEALY MINE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) Feb. 25.—Five lives were lost by a cave-in of earth and rock in the famous Minnie Healy mine this afternoon. The dead:

THOMAS HAGGERTY, shift boss.
THOMAS FURLONG, miner.
WILLIAM DWYER, miner.
IKE ABRAHAM, miner.
ANTON TRINETTI, miner.

The accident occurred on the sixth floor of the 1000-foot level. Early in the day, the foreman was informed that the ground in that place was very soft and in danger of falling. He withdrew all the miners who were working there. This afternoon, Shift Boss Haggerty took Furlong, Dwyer, Abraham and Trinetti into the place to bulkhead and otherwise strengthen it. Just how the fall came will never be known, as not one of the five men was left to tell the tale.

The noise of the fall was heard in other portions of the mine, work was at once suspended and every one went to the rescue. The bodies of Haggerty and Trinetti were brought to the surface early this evening, but it is likely to be several days before the other victims are found.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

At Pittsburgh John Conroy, convicted of killing his wife while she was asleep in their home, was hanged in the county jail yard. He was very weak and had to be supported to the scaffold.

Long Wah Hang, known as chief of the Chinese Free Masons, is dead in Denver. After elaborate funeral ceremonies, his body will be shipped direct to Hongkong. Long owned nearly all the Chinese gambling resorts in Denver and was reputed to be very wealthy.

A special to the Cincinnati Times-Star from Sandusky, O., says that Capt. Avery Henderson, well known in military circles and formerly chairman of the Republican Executive Committee of Ohio, a resident of Sandusky, was killed by a snowslide at Roosevelt, Idaho.

A letter from Lord Lyden was read by Lord Mayor Ritchie at a meeting of the London City Council, inviting the Councillors and former Lord Mayors to attend the St. Louis Exposition. The letter was referred to a committee, with instructions to ascertain if it is possible to arrange for its acceptance.

Fire in the sub-cellar in the twenty-three-story building of the American Track Society, New York, filled the skyscraper and adjoining buildings with dense smoke, both being rendered uninhabitable. The only persons in the building when the fire broke out were the janitors and twenty scrub women. Some of these narrowly escaped suffocation. The loss is $30,000.

The master bakers of the West Side have decided to advance the price of rolls from 10 to 12 cents a dozen, owing to the high prices prevailing for wheat and flour. Many bankers have reduced the size of their loaves, but no action has been taken toward raising the price of bread.

President William R. Harper of the University of Chicago has suffered a relapse of his recent attack of appendicitis, and again is under the closest attention of his physicians. His exact condition is not known to other than his physicians and members of his family, but it is feared at the university that his recent trip East caused his malady to return in a more serious form.

At Kishineff, Russia, two brothers named Petreske were placed on trial, charged with having taken part in the Jewish massacres. Each was sentenced to four years penal servitude.

Nominated for Congress: Ninth Indiana District, Charles B. Landis (Rep.) renominated.

At Jackson, Ky., the grand jury returned indictments against B. F. French, attorney for Curtis Jett and Ed Callahan, former Sheriff of Breathitt county, on the charge of subornation of perjury in the late Jett-White trials.

Two washouts on the Union Pacific near Baskin, about twenty-five miles east of Ogden, have delayed traffic for almost twenty-four hours on that line. Trains are said to be running as usual at midnight.

SAN JOSE'S POPULATION.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 25.—Maj. W. G. Hawley, postmaster of San José, has just copleted a careful house-to-house census of the population served by city carriers, which he finds to be 35,023 against 27,387 by the census of 1900. This is exclusive of The Willows and other suburbs covered by rural delivery. He finds the population within the corporate limits of San José 27,868, as compared with 21,518 by the census of 1900.

DOG SAVES TWO LIVES.

BAKER CITY (Or.) Feb. 25.—A mysterious poisoning case is reported from Pleasant Valley. Engineer Legg, on the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company road, noticed a peculiar taste in his tea last night, and, suspecting that the tea was poisoned he put some of it in milk and gave it to a dog. The dog died in less than ten minutes, showing symptoms of strychnine poison. Mrs. Legg also tasted of the tea and was taken violently ill.

HANNA LEFT SEVEN MILLIONS.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Hanna left $7,000,000. An inventory reveals that the estate is more than double what it was first reported as being.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Marlborough, C. P. Thompson and wife.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Engel and Colleagues Escape.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—In the United States Court today, James R. Engel and his colleagues, who were accused of the alleged swindling of the government in several timber deals, were acquitted, and the charges against them were dismissed. With Engel, were associated Richard H. Lewis, W. S. Lewis, A. W. Kiddle and A. S. Parsons.

Peddler With Money a Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—P. Thompson, a crippled peddler, committed suicide today on the Jackson-street wharf by shooting himself in the head. In one of the pockets was found a check payable to himself for $365. A Wells-Fargo money order calling for $50 was also found among his papers.

New San Francisco Bank.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—The Board of Bank Commissioners have issued a license for the establishment of the South Berkeley Bank. The institution is capitalized at $25,000, of which 40 per cent. is paid up.

OBITUARY.

Charles J. Willey.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 25.—Charles J. Willey, Assistant Surveyor-General of the State, who has held important positions in that office for a number of years, died today at his residence in this city. Deceased was a native of Vermont, aged 69 years. He was a member of the Knights Templar and Ancient Order of United Workmen.

Col. J. T. Grayson.

PORTLAND, Feb. 25.—The Oregonian has received news of the death of Col. J. T. Grayson at Cincinnati, today. Col. Grayson was one of the wealthiest mining men of the Northwest, and had made Portland his home for a number of years. According to the Oregonian's advices Grayson arrived at the St. Nicholas Hotel in Cincinnati at 6 o'clock tonight apparently in good health. He complained of feeling fatigued and retired about an hour after his arrival. Later he was found lying on the bed breathing heavily and unconscious. He died shortly after. Heart disease or apoplexy is believed to have caused his death. Grayson was general manager of the Alpine Consolidated Gold Mining Company.

Indicted for Conspiracy.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The grand jury has returned three indictments against six strikers at the works of the Eissendrath Glove Company. The indictments charge a conspiracy to injure one employé, conspiring to assault another and riot.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Storm up Coast.

The Weather Bureau issued a warning last night to masters of northbound vessels, of a storm off the Oregon coast.

Car Struck Him.

S. H. Shank was struck by a car at Sixth and San Pedro streets yesterday afternoon. He was thrown from his wagon and received painful but not serious injuries.

Meetings Will Close.

The series of meetings held the past two weeks in the Second United Presbyterian Church, Washington and Santee streets, will close this evening. Rev. R. L. Welch of Redlands will preach. There will be a juvenile chorus.

Damage Suit Dismissed.

The suit of Cora B. Vernon vs. the Southern Pacific Company for $20,000 damages for the death of her son, Charles Walter Vernon, as the result of the Owl wreck at Byron, was yesterday dismissed in the United States Circuit Court on motion of plaintiff's attorney.

City Engineer Happy.

City Engineer H. F. Stafford has bought a Cadillac automobile from Norman W. Church with the $1000 which the Council appropriated for that purpose. The machine is 8½ horsepower, and is fitted to travel through sand and withstand hard usage. It is a snap for the engineer.

College Orators.

Following is a corrected list of the several colleges and their representatives who will appear tonight in the intercollegiate oratorical contest at Simpson Auditorium: Pomona College, George E. Hume; Whittier, E. B. Healton; Occidental, Charles F. Bazata; University of Southern California, Charles F. Seymour.

Meeting of Teachers.

There will be a general teachers' meeting tomorrow forenoon at the High School. Bishop Conaty will speak at 11 o'clock in the auditorium on "The Teacher as a Trustee." Numerous phases of pedagogy will be treated by other speakers, including Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, who is to deliver an address on the work of federations.

Robbed of Her Rings.

Miss Irene Cramer of No. 364½ South Los Angeles street reported to the detectives yesterday the loss by theft of two diamond rings valued at about $100. She went to Burbank Hall yesterday afternoon to attend a dancing school and left her rings on a piano. When she returned a few minutes later her rings were missing.

Old Songs Revived.

A special rehearsal was held yesterday for the folk song entertainment to be given tonight in Unity Church under the auspices of the Southwest Society of the Archaeological Institute of America. The society has been hard at work collecting the fast-disappearing Spanish and Indian folk songs of California ever since its organization, and a unique entertainment is promised, to which all interested in the work are invited free of charge.

Large Auto Party.

A large party of prominent Angelenos went to Riverside yesterday morning in automobiles. They will return Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nat Myrick and guests occupied one; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Stimson drove another, as did Mr. and Mrs. H. Holliday. Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Buss, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Braly were also in the race. While the men are all moderate drivers, there was considerable rivalry for first place in the procession.

Alleged Shoplifter.

Mrs. Victoria Adams, aged 45, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Rico on a charge of shoplifting. She is alleged to have entered the store of Jacoby Brothers and the Broadway Department Store, and from the two places she is charged with having stolen about $9 worth of goods. Under a recent ruling of the Supreme Court, a shoplifter may be prosecuted for burglary, and it is probable that the accused will have to face such a charge.

Gives up Railroads.

H. H. Shattuck, a large cotton merchant of Boston, has become such an experienced and enthusiastic automobilist that he shuns the railroads. He has spent some time touring Southern California in a horseless and arrived from San Diego yesterday, having enjoyed a continuous run without a breakdown of any kind. He expects to leave Tuesday for San Francisco by way of Santa Barbara and Del Monte.

Book of Student Days.

"Blue and White," a book produced by the winter class of 1904 of the Los Angeles High School, will be issued today. The work is prettily clothed in denim of azure hue. The dedication is to the faculty. Miss Bessie Foubla is the editor-in-chief. Among the other managers of and contributors to the work are George Power, Charles H. Homer, August J. Marx, Miss Eileen Salyer, Miss Jennie Hawk, Miss Ethel Fuller, Miss Ethel Mee, Lynn Darrow, Frank Laird, Ed Adams, Miss Hilda Budington, Clarence Weber, Dewitt Browning, Miss Anita Ward, Isabella Mattern, Ruby Fuller and Edna Modie. The work abounds in illustrations.

BREVITIES.

Arizona Coöperative Oil Co., Limited. This company own 10,000 acres of oil land on Santa Fé railway near Winslow, Ariz., Mr. J. E. Wilson, M.E., the discoverer of Coalinga and De Miranda, the great Russian oil expert, think that great "gushers" will be found on this property. Call on or send for prospectus. C. White Mortimer, president; Ernest H. Wilson, vice-president; A. Lester Best, secretary; First National Bank, Los Angeles, and Navajo County Bank, Winslow, bankers. Offices 78 and 78A, Temple Block, Los Angeles, Cal.

We call attention to the advertisement in another column of the Arizona Co-Operative Oil Company, asking for tenders for the boring of an oil well near Winslow, A. T. Apply to C. White Mortimer, President, Room 78 Temple Block.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 2.

Peniel Hall, 227 South Main street, noon prayer meeting daily. Gospel meeting every night; also 11 a.m., 3 p.m. Sundays.

Don't miss concert of Mary Golden, soprano, Simpson Auditorium, March 3. Tickets, 75c, 50c, 313 S. Broadway.

Henry J. Kramer will form an adult beginners' dancing class Tuesday eve, March 1, at 7:30. References required.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable Co.'s office for Sanford Sachs, A. C. Haynes.

Wholesale Grocers Cut Wages.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—According to officers of the Employés' Union, 1000 employés of wholesale grocery houses in Chicago have been informed that after March 1 there will be a 10 per cent. reduction in wages.

ROBBED CONVALESCENTS.

Charge, Against Boston Manager of American Surety Company, Who is Arrested for Larceny.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, Feb. 25.—Wallace H. Ham, manager of the American Surety Company's Boston branch office, was arrested today on a charge of larceny, the total amount involved being $108,000, according to Chief Inspector Watts. The company is a new concern.

Ham is 48 years of age. He is married, and has several children. Although the sum mentioned in the warrant is $108,000, the American Surety Company, in a statement issued today, said that the net shortage was $190,000, and that the accounts of St. Luke's Home for Convalescents and of St. Paul's Church, this city, for each of which Ham was trustee, were affected, as well as those of the surety company.

MAKES FULL CONFESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—President Henry L. Lyman of the American Surety Company said today that Wallace H. Ham had been the Boston agent of the company for nearly seven years, and was highly recommended when he secured the position. The Boston branch office of the company is considered the most important in the country, and the volume of business, which it transacts is enormous. It is said Ham has made a full confession.

PERSONAL.

Harry Sexton, a stock rancher of Ventura, is registered at the Nadeau.

John Condon, an iron and steel operator of Chicago, is staying at the Angelus.

O. B. Gilson of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway is at the Angelus from Ogden.

George R. Newell of Minneapolis, one of the most extensive and wealthiest wholesale grocers of the Northwest, is making a stay at the Angelus.

Judge Benjamin B. Lindsey of Denver is at the Westminster. He is one of the best known authorities in the country on juvenile courts, and will speak along this line this morning before the Friday Morning Club.

W. A. Clark, Jr., of Butte, Mont., arrived in the city last night, and is registered at the Van Nuys. He is here visiting his little son, who has been in the city in the care of relatives for some time.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Jefferson P. Apple, aged 55, a native of North Carolina, and J. Louise Apple, aged 40, a native of Pennsylvania; both residents of Los Angeles.

Veggo Christenson, aged 34, a native of Denmark, and Josephine Schilling, aged 20, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

Andrew G. McMillan, aged 25, a native of Scotland, and Vessie F. Sutton, aged 18, a native of Colorado; both residents of Los Angeles.

Leo Brock, aged 26, a native of Illinois, a resident of Santa Ana; and Matilda B. Hadley, aged 24, a native of Canada, a resident of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

SCOTT—Mrs. F. May Scott, February 23, 1904. Funeral Friday, February 26, at 10:30 a.m., from residence of her mother, Mrs. Roby Elwood, 719 East Adams street. Sister of Dr. F. B. Elwood of Alhambra, Cal.; C. J. Elwood of Prescott, Ariz.; Miss Carrie E. Elwood, Mrs. Lois J. Stewart and Mrs. Frank Hopkins of Los Angeles.

LE SAGE—Oster Anthony, aged 29 years, beloved husband of Nell Cordary Le Sage, son of Mrs. Genevieve Le Sage and the late Joseph H. Le Sage, brother of Louis, Henry, Philip, Wilfred and Eva Le Sage, this city; Blanch Le Sage Famechon, Minneapolis, and Rev. J. Harshall Le Sage, C.M., New Orleans. Funeral Sunday, 2 p.m., Sacred Heart Church, East Los Angeles.

SPICER—At No. 108 Messager street, February 24, 1904, Emma, beloved wife of W. E. Spicer, aged 29 years. Funeral from residence, Friday, February 26, at 2 o'clock p.m.

SAURET—At 1427 Wright street, February 25, 1904, Arthur Leroy Saurret, aged 10 years. Funeral from residence, Saturday, February 27, at 10 o'clock a.m.

ANDERSON—At 128 West Twenty-seventh street, February 25, 1904, Charles Anderson, beloved father of Fidelia and Grace Anderson, aged 78 years 8 months. Funeral from late residence, Saturday morning, February 27, 10 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Interment San Diego Cemetery.

MOSGROVE—In Los Angeles, Cal., February 24, 1904, Henry Mosgrove. Funeral services at Bresee Bros., Broadway and Sixth, Saturday, at 10:30. Friends invited.

Funeral Notice.

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BARTLETT LOGAN RELIEF CORPS, No. 7, will give a bazaar through the day and a dinner from 5 to 7, and a dance in the evening, Saturday, February 27, at 125½ South Spring street.

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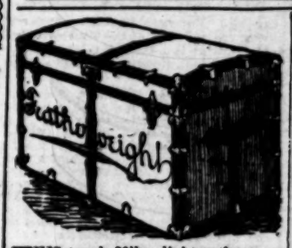

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Here the lines are the strongest—the assortment more varied; Louisines and Taffetas in dozens of new basket weaves and novel, irregular checks, jacquard and embroidery effects on changeable grounds checked or plain.

Fancy mixtures in Barathea, Louisines, Tricotines and Taffetas in pretty camelion effects. The whole range of Spring colors, from the lightest to the darkest is represented. Greens, blues, browns, tans, castors, purples, lavenders, and the new aubergone; grays, black and white, white and black, gun-metal and jasper grays.

Styles and colorings are similar to the last named but in heavier, finer, wider goods for dressy costumes, fashions for particular people.

New colorings and designs will be among the season's most popular material for street or calling gowns. Many single, exclusive dress patterns are shown in these. They are always soft, light weight and comfortable for Summer use, and where is the silk fabric that is as satisfyingly serviceable as a good foulard.

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Absolutely the last chance to get a musical make, guaranteed, well-known instrument at the prices quoted at this sale.

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Upright Pianos and Players are offered in combination today at greatly reduced prices. Here they are:

New walnut upright Piano, value $275, and a $250 walnut Pianola—the Pianola used a few months—the two for *$350.*

New oak upright Piano, $350 model, and a $250 slightly used oak Pianola—the two for *$375* today.

New mahogany upright Piano, value $350, and a $250 Angelus Piano Player—the latter used a few months—both for *$385.*

New Emerson walnut upright Piano—regular $450 model—and a Chase & Baker walnut Piano Player—the latter used 30 days—both for *$475* today.

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FRUIT POISON NEARLY KILLS.

H. J. Toy of Denver Suffers After Eating Figs.

Young Lady Seriously Affected in Similar Way.

City Health Office to Make Rigid Investigation.

Figs, evidently poisoned, almost killed H. J. Toy of Denver at the Hotel Cecil yesterday. But for heroic measures adopted by the attending physicians it is likely the life of the Colorado man would have been sacrificed because he loves the popular California fruit. Dr. G. E. Ap Lynne of No. 314 West Fourth street, worked for over four hours before he was able to declare his patient out of danger.

Mr. Toy purchased a package of dried figs at a fruit store and ate quite a quantity of them in the afternoon. Shortly afterward he was seized with intense pains in the stomach, which were accompanied by vomitings. When Dr. Ap Lynne arrived he found Mr. Toy in a critical condition, as the poison had affected his heart. The symptoms resembled arsenical or ptomaine poisons, but the heart action was so weak that it required hard work to restore its normal condition, and not until 9 o'clock was the sufferer's condition considered safe.

Mr. Toy stated last night that he is positive that the figs were the cause of his trouble, as he had eaten nothing since breakfast, and was seized with the pains in his stomach a short time after eating the fruit. He is at loss to account for the presence of arsenic in the figs, but is inclined to the belief that the fruit was picked from a tree which had been poisoned in order to kill birds—as this method is sometimes employed by fruit growers whose orchards are injured by members of the feathered tribe.

The poisoning of Mr. Toy was reported to the City Health Officer, who had an agent purchase some of the figs, and an analysis of the fruit will be made today by City Chemist Day. Dr. Powers states that fruits have not been fully investigated since the office of City Chemist was created a month ago, because the attention of the chemist has been taken up with fish, olives and milk, but a rigid inquiry will be conducted in this case. The fruit which caused the trouble was packed by Rosenberg Bros. of San Francisco, and was put up in paper packages.

Through the investigation of the Toy poisoning another case was brought to light yesterday which is similar in many respects. The young daughter of C. W. Fleming, manager of the American Type Founders Company, received as a present a box of crystallized fruit put up by a prominent Los Angeles house. After eating a small quantity Miss Fleming became seriously ill, but not until some time afterward was her illness attributed to the confections. Two other members of Mr. Fleming's family suffered from the effects of eating the fruit, but their cases were not as serious as that of Miss Fleming, who has not fully regained her health. Mr. Fleming does not think for an instant that poison was placed in the fruit by the person who sent it to his daughter, but he is positive that poisonous ingredients were used either for preservation purposes or that in some accidental manner before crystalization, the fruit became impregnated with arsenic or other poison.

Dr. Ap Lynne says that in Mr. Toy's case he is positive that a quantity of deadly poison was eaten, but he is unable to decide whether it was ptomaine or arsenical. He says he has known of cases in the packing of figs where the fruit has contained a worm chrysalis which later developed, and after steaming, a poison was created which is as deadly as the ptomaine of canned meats.

A complete and thorough investigation by the City Health Department may show where the trouble lies.

NO FARCE THIS YEAR.

Stanford Seniors Decide to Produce the Gilbert and Sullivan Opera "Patience," Instead.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 24.—The Senior Farce Committee has decided not to give the usual farce during commencement week, but to stage Gilbert and Sullivan's opera "Patience." This action was taken by the committee as a result of the poor success of the farces of the last few years. There are a number of excellent voices among the men and women of the university, and many persons have expressed their willingness to take part in the production. The opera will be given on the evening of May 12.

COLLEGE NOTES.

The recent concert trip taken by the Girls' Glee Club and the University Orchestra was a decided success. The programme was well received and the clubs were delightfully entertained.

The Stanford Debating Committee has received word from the University of California submitting the question for the intercollegiate debate. The question is: "Resolved, That in cities of the United States of over 40,000 inhabitants a system of municipal government concentrating executive and administrative powers in the Mayor should be adopted." The committee will act upon the question at a meeting next Monday, when the side to be supported by Stanford will be chosen.

The annual intercollegiate chess tournament with the University of California will be held this year April 8, at the Mechanics' Institute in San Francisco. This will be the fifth match between Stanford and California. The first three were won by California and the fourth was a tie.

PROTECTION OF MINORS.

City School Superintendent Foshay has issued a circular letter to principals and teachers calling attention to the statutes prohibiting the sale of liquor and tobacco to minors.

WAGNER'S "PARSIFAL" MAY BE SEEN HERE.

AMONG the general conference possibilities is a production of Wagner's great mystic music-drama "Parsifal."

If it is given here, Los Angeles audiences will have an opportunity to hear the treasured work whose New York presentation was the eastern sensation of the year.

If arrangements now under way are carried through, the complete Damrosch Orchestra, numbering sixty of New York's best players, will render the instrumental score. They will be under the leadership of Walter Damrosch himself, most noted Wagnerian conductor in America.

The vocal feature will not be neglected, and the four solo parts will be given to a tenor, soprano, contralto and bass from the Metropolitan Operahouse in New York city. Twelve of the original "flower maidens" of Heinrich Conreid's notable production will also come, and a local chorus will be formed to assist.

The preliminary negotiations are conducted by S. Kronberg, the impresario who brought Mascagni and his bothersome aggregation from Italy. Kronberg had troubles enough with the erratic Italian maestro to teach him a world of lessons in the handling of musical aggregations, and he believes that he would have no difficulty in bringing artists and material here for a complete production in miniature of the world's most interesting music-drama.

No regular theatric performance of "Parsifal" could be attempted here, but the music may be given with all its primal impressiveness, in the hands of soloists familiar with the traditions of Beyreuth. To stage the religious play in any way that would be at all in keeping with its subject and traditions would require the expenditure of thousands upon thousands of dollars, and many months. Conreid's stage settings, scenic accessories and costuming in New York cost more than $100,000, and though the performances were given to large crowds in a great auditorium at top-notch prices, the whole thing was a total financial loss.

Conreid expected that it would be a loss. He was backed in his venture by the Metropolitan stockholders and "Parsifal" was given merely to demonstrate that America could be first in the presentation of an original musical work never attempted outside the little Bavarian town in which its composer spent a great part of his later life. Any stage attempt not backed by a syndicate as wealthy as the millionaire group behind the Metropolitan would be an absurdity.

If Los Angeles has a "Parsifal" production it will be given in May at Hazard's Pavilion. It is peculiarly fitting that it should come at that time, as the second greatest religious body in the world will be in session in this city. "Parsifal" is all religion—a postscriptural story turned into dramatics, and set to a music that has no equal for strange and beautiful originality in the melodic libraries of the world. Its legend is an elaboration of the mystic tale of the Holy Grail and its guardian knights. There is no love interest, no conflicting world-emotions. It is all a musical-dramatic extract of the legends of the early church.

Mr. Kronberg has been in consultation with several local managers, and was yesterday in San Diego.

ARCADE DEPOT WILL BE MADE LARGER.

PLANS are being drawn for the enlargement and remodeling of the south wing of the Arcade depot. An official of the Southern Pacific Railway Company made this statement yesterday afternoon. The waiting room will be doubled in size and a third gateway to the tracks will be opened, thus offering better facilities for handling the heavy summer business.

The fact that the improvements are not to be very extensive and almost of a temporary nature, is taken as an indication that the probability of a union depot is not very far off. Officials have nothing to say in regard to the union project, neither denying nor affirming, but from information gathered here and there the inference is that the union depot is to be built, and built where the Arcade now stands, and including the property lying east between Fourth and Palmetto streets to the river. The Southern Pacific is connected with the Santa Fé by a Y turning east at Seventh street and the Santa Fé has three spur tracks running in near Palmetto street, in the rear of the Arcade. It is stated in real estate circles that the property mentioned is controlled by the Southern Pacific, although not listed in the name of the company.

The plan of improvement for the depot includes the tearing out of the partitions inclosing the parcel, bar and dining rooms, throwing the space now occupied by them into the main waiting room. The west wall of that portion of the building is to be moved out twenty feet, flush with the main entrance, thus giving additional space 150 feet long and 20 feet wide. The departments which are to be displaced will be put in the south end of this addition, which will be one story high and built of frame, to correspond with the rest of the structure.

It is a well-known fact that the business of the Southern Pacific has entirely outgrown its quarters at the Arcade. The waiting room often has as many persons standing in it as there are sitting. In summer time the arrival of a beach train creates a stampede which the two gateways cannot handle, the crush at times being almost unbearable. The impatient crowd, unable to find seats, naturally banks up in front of the exits, and arrivals find it as hard to get in as it is to get out. While the plans for the enlargement have not been definitely decided upon, the improvements which are to be made will greatly relieve the congested condition.

STEALS CHILD FROM MOTHER.

Sensational Development in Moore Divorce Case.

Father Kidnaps Sick Daughter from Her Bed.

Escapes from Officer and Cannot Now be Found.

A sensational and unexpected scene in a domestic tragedy was enacted in Pasadena yesterday when A. J. Moore kidnaped his two-year-old daughter, took her in her nightclothes from her invalid mother's side, and brought her to this city in spite of relatives and officers. Moore claimed to have an order from Judge York for the child, and when the authenticity of this was disputed by his wife's brother, he forced his way into the house, seized the child and escaped.

The incident is a sequel to the Moore divorce case. Some time ago Moore, a carpenter, who lives at No. 716 East Fifteenth street, sued for divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty. The divorce was granted, the two older children were given into the custody of the father, and the youngest child, a girl about two years old, was given to the mother, as the little one was sickly and required constant nursing. Mrs. Moore took the infant to her Pasadena home.

Yesterday morning Moore appeared at Mrs. Moore's home and demanded possession of his daughter. He claimed to have an order from Judge York for the child. The mother and child were both sick. Mrs. Moore's brother, L. S. Anderson, suspected Moore of crooked work, and demanded to see the court order, and refused to deliver the child without it. Moore, having no such order, forced his way into the house, took his child from her bed and started down street with her.

Anderson at once summoned a policeman, and the two started on bicycles in pursuit of Moore. They soon overtook him, but the officer declared he could not see that Anderson had any more right to the possession of the child than had Moore, and refused to interfere with the latter, who went his way. Anderson then came to this city, hunted up an attorney and learned that Judge York had issued no order for the child. Judge York was at once told of the action, and issued an order to deliver the child to Anderson, and also cited Moore to appear today and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court.

Anderson and Deputy Sheriff Brakesuhier last night went in search of Moore, but he was not at his home, and could not be found.

CARS DERAILED.

Nine Loads of Oranges Off Track at Cabazon—Salt Lake to Riverside. Railroad Notes.

An accident occurred on the Southern Pacific at 7 o'clock yesterday morning at Cabazon, just the other side of Beaumont Mountain, caused by the breaking of a wheel on the fourth car from the engine. Nine orange cars and a car of ice were derailed and traffic was delayed for several hours. A wrecker was sent from Los Angeles. The contents of the cars were not damaged and no one was hurt.

Three large Raymond & Whitcomb excursions are playing a progressive game through Southern California. What is known as the "First Mexico tour" of forty-eight people will leave San Diego tomorrow for Pasadena and remain there until March 4 at the Maryland and Green Hotels. The same day the "Second Mid-Winter" will leave Pasadena for San Diego to stay there two days and then go to Riverside. There are sixty-one in this party. On Monday "Tour J," of seventy-five will arrive in Pasadena from Riverside and spend one week. The tours are so arranged that the show places have something all the time without getting the sightseers all in a bunch.

March 12 has been selected as the date for the Chamber of Commerce excursion to Riverside to participate in the formal opening of the Salt Lake railroad to that city. A handsome special will leave this city early in the morning, bearing officials of the road and the delegation. They will be greeted at Riverside by the Board of Trade and a noonday banquet will be given at Ye Glenwood Tavern. Speeches are to be made and the affair promises to be notable. The train will pass beneath a magnificent floral arch in making its entrance to the city.

Former Judge Kelley, general solicitor of the Union Pacific, will leave tonight for San Francisco, after having spent two months in Los Angeles as the guest of Joseph Kelley of West Third street. He visited the principal points in Southern California in his private car, and yesterday took a party of twelve to Santa Monica.

A 500-horse-power generator is being installed at the South Park car house of the Los Angeles Railway Company.

Arthur Scott Jennings, general auditor of the Santa Fé Coast lines, with headquarters in Los Angeles, died Wednesday afternoon at his residence, No. 2001 Union avenue of consumption. He leaves a widow and one child. The remains will be taken to Chicago for interment. General Auditor Whitehead of the Santa Fé was called to Los Angeles, as the death of Mr. Jennings was expected. He will appoint a successor in a few days.

QUICK WORK IN BALTIMORE.

The Baltimore News has made a demonstration of the possibilities of quick work in the replacing of a large newspapers plant. Last Monday, two weeks after the complete destruction of its former establishment, the News resumed publication in its new home in which a battery of twenty-one linotype machines, three quadruple perfecting presses and the various auxiliaries of an up-to-date newspaper had been assembled within the fortnight.

HITCH YOUR BEASTS.

Yesterday was field day with the police in the matter of arresting violators of the hitching ordinance, and over sixty were taken into custody. The majority of the offenders were arraigned in Police Court and pleaded guilty, being fined $2 or $3 each.

NEIGHBORS TOGETHER.

Cottage Prayer Meetings Prove Successful—Fourth of the Series Announced for Tonight.

The cottage prayer meetings being held under the auspices of the Ministerial Union on the Friday evenings of February, have been well attended and it is thought have resulted in much good. The fourth series will be held this evening at the following places: Mrs. Case, No. 129 Bixel street; Mrs. Rice, No. 2003 South Grand avenue; Mrs. Palmatary, No. 225 East Elmira street; Mrs. Ahlport, No. 1107 West Tenth street; Mrs. Roach, No. 428 Custer avenue; Mrs. Beebe, (3 p.m) No. 1432 Union avenue; Mrs. Fondersmith, No. 1115 East Twenty-second street; Mrs. Alford, No. 329 East Twenty-fifth street; Mrs. Jones, No. 529 Patton street; Mrs. Newby, No. 2643 Magnolia street; Mrs. Geissler, No. 1521 West Eighth street; Mrs. Bowler, No. 822 South Broadway; Mrs. Robinson, No. 1747 New Hampshire street; Mrs. Jefferson, No. 830 East Sixteenth street; Mrs. Stricklin, No. 813 Linden street; Mrs. Owens, No. 2916 New Jersey street; Mrs. Moulton, No. 2022 Atlantic street; Mrs. Fuller, No. 738 Banning street; Mrs. Froseth, No. 910 East Thirty-third street; Mrs. Nelson, No. 267 South Burlington avenue; Mrs. Hayden, West Tenth and Denver avenue.

CAST ON WATERS, BREAD RETURNS.

ACTRESS HELPS INDIGENT AND STRIKES IT RICH.

Amelia Gardner Takes Mining Stock as Pledge Rather Than Injure Pride, and Now It Turns Out Valuable—Still Going up.

Amelia Gardner, new leading woman of the Neill-Morosco company, discovered yesterday that bread cast upon the waters surely does reeturn, even after many days.

A long time ago, while still in New

AMELIA GARDNER.

York City, she was the means of helping an indigent actor to California. He was sick and had nearly fallen hopelessly into the ravages of consumption. The actress took pity upon him and his struggling little family, and volunteered money from her own pocketbook to suppy the tickets.

She didn't want anything in exchange, but rather than hurt sensitive hearts and injure pride she took several hundred shares of mining stock as a pledge. She believed the stock was worthless, and doubtless the giver did also, but he had nothing else to proffer her. He came to Sunshine Land, finally got well, and is now drawing an excellent salary in the East.

Yesterday Miss Gardner, to whose name the transferred shares stood upon the books of the Eastern corporation, received a telegram saying: "C. & E. quoted 106 and still going." She was at a loss to know just what this strange cryptogram meant, until her maid reminded her of the musty papers lying in the bottom of her smallest trunk—where she keeps the diamonds ready for the press-agent's made-to-order thief.

"C. & E." she found, upon investigation, was her pawn of kindness, which had never been redeemed. She insists that she will share her good fortune with the man and woman to whom it once meant so much.

Miss Gardner, by the way, has never been seen upon a Los Angeles stage. She is a good-looking woman, has an excellent flow of language, and is a charming hostess. She is laid up with a sprained knee, the result of a wrench upon an old hurt sustained some years ago while playing "Cigarette" in New Orleans.

She has literary talents also, and is very much impressed with Amélie Rives' novel, "Tannis, the Sand Digger," which she thinks could be worked up into a clever dramatization.

MILLS MEETINGS.

Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills addressed two large audiences yesterday in Unity Church, in the afternoon on the topic, "What Jesus Taught About Property," and in the evening on "Who Is the Infidel?" At the close of the evening meeting there was a supplementary address by William E. Smythe of San Diego, telling of the effects of Mr. Mills's work in that city a few months ago. This afternoon at 3:30 in Unity Church Mr. Mills will give a special address entitled "The Gateway to the Kingdom," and this evening the meeting will be held in Cumnock Hall. The subject this evening will be "How Can a Man Get Acquainted with God?"

COLLECTOR ARRESTED.

C. Buckley was arrested yesterday on a charge of embezzlement. Buckley is said to have been representing himself as the Merchants Law and Collection Company, with headquarters formerly at No. 112 N. Main street and later at No. 134 North Spring street. J. F. Zellinger is the complaining witness against Buckley, and the former alleges that he gave the collection agent an account which was liquidated by the debtor, but no return was made by Buckley Zellinger's transaction amounted to only $2.50.

WAR SPIRIT IN SWEET NAMES.

Flowers Give Titles to Japs' Patriotic Clubs.

Purpose is to Sustain Mikado In His Struggle.

Expect to Raise Much Money for War Fund.

"The Japanese Chrysanthemum Club"—isn't that a charming and typically sentimental name for an association of Los Angeles Japs who would carry into their life here the flavor of the land of the peach-blow and cherry blossom, the bamboo tree and that queen of flowers, the loved chrysanthemum?

But under this euphonious name, which suggests quaint tea gardens, dancing Geisha girls, and flower-bedecked booths and jinrikishas, there creeps the dominant idea of grim-visaged War. Not the war of the average tea fight, which is a more or less wholesome diversion in all lands, but the war that is to the death, and which is a struggle for the supremacy of nations.

The Chrysanthemum Club is a patriotic war club of American Japanese, who intend to do everything in their power to sustain the Japanese empire.

The articles of incorporation for the new club will be filed within a few days. They have been prepared by Attorney D. H. Laubersheimer, who is also attorney for the Japanese Commercial Society in this city.

HAS WIDE SCOPE.

Mild enough is the expressed object of the Chrysanthemum Club. The incorporation papers say it is "an organization for the mutual benefit, enjoyment and social intercourse of its members; but with no object of pecuniary profit." Los Angeles is the place of business, and the directors are Tatusa Oyama, K. Hashi, K. Kinoshita, M. K. Nakagaki, M. Ishibashi, prominent members of the Japanese colony here.

Back of the alleged pleasure-seeking object of the club it is said there is a determined movement to benefit the Japanese empire in its war with Russia. Not only is it the intention to stir into flame the patriotic fervor of the members, but it is purposed to reach out until all the Japanese on the Pacific Coast have been brought within its influence and placed in readiness to respond to any call for aid from their island home.

The formation of the Chrysanthemum Club is to be followed by organization of others. The next is to be known as the "Peach Club," then will come the "Cherry Blossom Club," and this poetic idea will be followed out in the creation of societies with undercurrents much more serious than would appear from the charming names given them.

TO HELP WAR FUND.

There is already in existence in California a patriotic association known as the "Hoko Kwai," which has as its purpose the collection of money to be sent to Japan for the war fund. The headquarters are at San Francisco, and the Japanese Consul at that place, K. Ugeno, is the president. A branch for Southern California is under the control of three directors, D. K. Nelno, Hippo Iijima and R. G. Yuasa.

Through voluntary contributions this association expects to send at least $100,000 from Southern California before August 31, as a contribution to the war fund; and it is expected that the northern part of the State will raise a still larger amount.

The patriotic spirit is high with the local Japanese. Since the beginning of the war over one hundred men have started from Southern California for their native land, and others are preparing to leave.

Night before last there were two patriotic gatherings in this city, at farewell banquets given in the two Japanese restaurants, at No. 130 San Pedro street and on North Main street, in honor of two prominent Japanese who started for the seat of war. These men are T. Okamoto, an interpreter, and T. S. Fuki, a cavalryman. There were spirited addresses and songs.

RAZOR BRINGS QUICK DEATH.

GEORGE BOSSLER COMMITS SUICIDE BY CUTTING THROAT.

Early Theory of Murder Dispelled by Dying Man's Mute Confession. Found Under Wagon and Died After Removal to Hospital.

A mysterious death, evidently self-inflicted, occurred yesterday morning at the Police Station after the victim had been rushed to the Receiving Hospital in an ambulance.

George Bossler, who resided with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green at No. 543 Banning street, was found in a dying condition at 7 o'clock, lying under a wagon in the rear of No. 114 Wilmington street. His throat was slashed in three places, and a large black-handled razor was beside him.

Bossler was about 32 years old, and is reported to have been a man of good habits. It is said that Wednesday night, after Bossler had retired, a man came to the house and asked to see him. Mrs. Green told the caller that Bossler had retired, and the man said to tell him to be sure to come to work in the morning.

Yesterday morning Bossler left the house about 6:15 o'clock to go to a packing-house, Green says. He says he had with him a $20 gold piece, some silver change and a $40 gold watch. These were reported missing when he was found with his throat cut.

Sensational rumors were circulated to the effect that Bossler had been murdered, but this theory was exploded by Policeman Roy Allen, who was among the first to reach the wounded man. Allen says Bossler understood his questions and plainly acknowledged by bowing his head that he had cut his own throat.

Watch Sunday Times and Herald for full particulars

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Finance Committee discussed the license problem at the session yesterday. Many changes will be made.

Tom Kirby, book-keeper in the City Treasurer's office, resigned yesterday.

Judge Wilbur has to decide whether a sister has fulfilled her trust as guardian of a young brother when the lad drifts into State's prison. This is the point in the Kinglebock will contest, though the money involved is little.

The undertakers' ordinance has been attacked in the habeas-corpus case of James Cussen, and its constitutionality maintained. The fight will be before Judge Smith.

When overshadowed by death Henry Mosgrove, the Spring-street cloak dealer, made a will appointing the Los Angeles Trust Company executor for his estate. The total value of the property is $87,000.

AT THE CITY HALL.

MANY CHANGES WILL BE MADE.

FINANCE COMMITTEE WORKING ON LICENSE LAW.

Plan to Tax Each City Business Man so Much a Quarter Believed Open to Objections—Linecas Inspectors May be Transferred.

A discussion of the license question engaged the Finance Committee at the regular session yesterday afternoon. Many changes in the present ordinance are under contemplation, and it may be several weeks before all the proposed amendments are in proper form for submission to the Council.

The plan, suggested by the secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, to tax every business man in the city a certain amount each quarter was given brief consideration by the committee yesterday. It was suggested, as an additional feature of this plan, that the tax should be made payable at the office of the Tax and License Collector, and that in case of delinquency the license fee should be doubled.

This suggestion met with the approval of the committee, and it may be tried in connection with the present license ordinance, in the event that no radical change in the method of licensing is decided upon by the Council.

In the opinion of the Finance Committee the plan to tax each merchant so much a month, or so much a quarter, would be open to the same objection as every other license scheme ever devised—the poor man who did but little business would feel the burden and the rich merchant would benefit. Under the existing system the license fees on some classes of business are based upon the volume of business done, but in many instances it is open to the same objection.

The Finance Committee also regarded with favor a plan to put the license inspectors under the City Clerk, who is charged with the enforcement of the license ordinance. This would involve merely a transfer of one or two men from the Tax Collector's to the City Clerk's office. The former official now has both the inspectors and the collectors.

It is presumed to be the duty of the license inspectors to inspect all places of business, and see that they have taken out the required license. At present, however, the amount of collecting is so great that both the collectors and inspectors confine their work chiefly to collecting, it is said.

If the ordinance should be changed so as to require the payment of the license fee at the City Hall, the work of the collectors would be confined to delinquent licenses, and more attention could be given to inspection.

The license law provides that the city Clerk shall enforce its provisions, but that official is not given a single man by the Council to carry out the ordinance. This duty now devolves on the collecting department.

Representatives of some of the life insurance companies appeared before the committee yesterday, and offered numerous suggestions regarding amendments to the license on insurance companies, their agents and solicitors. The committee took the entire license question under advisement. Another meeting will be held very soon in which the City Attorney, Clerk, Tax Collector and members of the Council will participate.

KIRBY RESIGNS.

WAS INJURED BY FALL.

Tom Kirby, book-keeper in the office of City Treasurer Workman, resigned his position yesterday because of injuries received in alighting from a moving street car. Kirby was a general favorite at the City Hall, and his resignation will cause genuine regret.

Kirby had but one arm, and in jumping off a street car some weeks ago he injured his remaining hand in such a manner that it will be some time before he is able to resume work as a book-keeper. The accident was the more unfortunate, as Kirby was lately married, and the injury was quite a blow to the young benedict.

The place will be filled by N. T. Powell, who was clerk for Justice C. O. Morgan in the Police Court for two years. Powell has been doing the work since Kirby was injured, and has proven entirely satisfactory to City Treasurer Workman.

If the Council acts favorably upon a request that will be preferred by the City Treasurer next Monday, Powell will be known as chief deputy to the City Treasurer. He will do the work of the book-keeper and receive the same salary, but by changing the designation and duties of the position he will be empowered to assist in handling the money. This work is now performed solely by the City Treasurer and his cashier.

Park Board Meets.

At the session of the Park Commission yesterday morning Superintendent Legrand was instructed to report a plan for general retrenchment in the department, as the construction of pipe lines and reservoirs has depleted the park funds. The Park Commission decided to make needed changes in the animal quarters in Eastlake Park.

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Theater of War.

The colored map, with statistics on opposite page, which appeared in the Sunday Times of February 21, will be printed separately in colors, on heavy paper, for preservation and reference, and will be on sale at all book stores and at The Times office at 10 cents per copy.

Stop at Paso Robles.

First-class tickets between San Francisco and Los Angeles, either direction, including stop of two days' entertainment at famous Paso Robles Hot Springs Hotel, only $21; children, $12.50. Privilege of thirty days' stop-over. Best of fare and service at hotel. Curative mud or hot water baths; fine drives; invigorating mountain air; warm sunshine. Just the place to rest. Full information of Southern Pacific ticket agents.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

DEAD MOTHER'S SOLE DESIRE.

MRS KINGLEBOCK WISHED HER BOY WELL TRAINED.

Now the Young Man is in the Folsom Penitentiary and His Guardian Sister is Taken to Task by Others in Court.

Because the hand of his dead mother reaching from the grave was not strong enough to protect him, Herman Kinglebock is in the penitentiary. But the old mother tried to shield and guard her boy even after she should be laid away. She made a provision in her will that if Clara Hartman, one of her daughters, would look out for the then little fellow and train him so that he grew up to be a good man, the little boy's share of her estate should go to the daughter in addition to the share she received. But if, on the other hand, Clara neglected her brother Herman and did not act rightly by him, then he was to himself inherit the share left to him and receive her portion as well.

That provision of the will has split the Kinglebock family. The estate of Mrs. Josephine Kinglebock is very small, but there is a hard fight. Mrs. Bertha Powers, also a daughter of the deceased, is administratrix, and as the estate is about ready for distribution her sister Clara and brother Oscar are contesting.

Yesterday the administratrix and several other witnesses testified to the cruelties perpetrated upon the boy Herman by Clara Hartman. Mrs. Powers said she had lived for a number of years North, but that when she visited here she found Herman was allowed to roam the streets, and next she discovered he had been taken in charge by the Humane Officer and put in the Orphans' Home. Her sister did not appear to give the boy any attention, and he slept in a cellar with rags to cover him.

Mrs. Powers said that she took the boy with her to Traver and though he was a little fellow he went to work, and remained at Traver until later, when she moved to Fresno. After he did return to Los Angeles, the witness said, she again took her brother back to Fresno when she came South six years later. But her aid had only been spasmodic and Mrs. Powers said on June 19 of last year Herman Kinglebock was sentenced to three years in State's prison at Folsom for robbery. He is now 19.

Mrs. Anne Pratt and Mrs. C. W. F. Adams, as well as one or two other witnesses, corroborated these statements. They said Mrs. Hartman would whip the boy unmercifully, and on one occasion the neighbors saw the lad tied up on the back porch with a horse-line and then beaten. At times, too, they would hear him screaming from the inside of the house. These were almost every-day occurrences, the witnesses said.

It is contended that on such a showing as this Mrs. Clara Hartman has not only forfeited the share of the estate left by the mother to Herman Kinglebock, but also any claim to her own share. The estate consisted of a house and lot at First and Ohio streets, which was sold by order of the court. It was bid in by Mrs. Hartman for $855, and then the sister who is administratrix was induced to consent to allow Clara $169.50 as rebate, this to be charged against her share. But later Mrs. Powers discovered that she had done unwisely, though under advice from her attorney, and with a new attorney she is seeking to recover the amount. In consequence of this payment Mrs. Powers has only $477.50 on hand to distribute when she ought to have the amount heretofore paid out.

Mrs. Clara Hartman, however, was not silent under the accusations leveled against her. She is a dashy-looking woman of a decidedly brunette type, and when upon the witness stand was beginning to retail all the family tittle-tattle when the court choked her off. With regard to the ill-treatment of her brother, Mrs. Hartman made a general denial. She confessed that she had slapped him, but said she had never done the things that previous witnesses alleged. He was an unruly boy, she said, but she had treated him kindly and done the best she could.

Further hearing was continued until March 17. The court record shows that Herman Kinglebock is an inmate of the penitentiary. And there stands the provision of the mother's will regarding the reward to the daughter if she should rear the boy in the way he should go.

The old mother's way was not the way to Folsom.

MERCHANT'S ESTATE.

PROBATE ON MOSGROVE WILL.

On Wednesday Henry Mosgrove, the Spring-street cloak dealer, died at the California Hospital, and yesterday the Los Angeles Trust Company filed petition for probate of the will. The instrument was drawn and signed last Sunday, and was witnessed by John R. Haynes. The total value of the estate is set out to be about $87,000.

In the petition it is alleged that no legatees or devisees are mentioned, and the following are the heirs-at-law: Anne Mosgrove, the widow, who lives on Sutter street, San Francisco; the children of Sam Mosgrove, brother of deceased; Ella Mosgrove, West Adams street; Bessie Poindexter, Alameda; Maud Buffington, Whittier; Henry Mosgrove, at some place in South Africa; the widow and child of William Mosgrove, a nephew of deceased. Also sisters and brothers of the late Henry Mosgrove living somewhere in Ireland.

WORKED OUTSIDE.

YOUNG PLUMBER ACCUSED.

A youth named H. P. Stephenson was arraigned before Justice Pierce yesterday on the charge of having embezzled $57 from his employers, A. O. Johnson and B. H. Miller.

Johnson and Miller carry on the Independent Gas Company on East Fifth street, and Stephenson was one of the workmen sent out to work on outside jobs of plumbing. It is alleged that about January 28 he did work at Prospect Park for which he was paid $57, and instead of handing the amount over to his firm retained it for his own use.

In contradiction of this statement Stephenson avers that he took small contracts on his own account when he could get them, and that the money he is accused of embezzling was paid to him on such work, and that it was in no sense money due to the Independent Gas Company.

These two versions of the affair will be inquired into when Stephenson comes up for examination March 15. Meantime bail was fixed at $750, which will probably be given.

VALUED THE HAT.

JAP'S BANK OF DEPOSIT.

U. Watanabe, the Jap burglar who broke into Eastman's curio store at Long Beach and took a lot of jewelry and other articles, was arraigned before Justice Young yesterday on another charge. About the same time that he looted the curio store Watanabe went into the house of T. J. Bolton at Long Beach and stole an overcoat.

The little Jap was planning, so it is said, to return to Japan in order to report for duty in defending his country in the war now going on. Before leaving, however, he sought to make a raise in order to pay his way, and took the coat because it would be useful on the sea voyage. When arrested Watanabe was wearing the overcoat and had a bunch of charms stolen from the Eastman store hanging at the end of his watch chain. When an officer went to the County Jail yesterday in order to bring the defendant into court he noticed that the Jap was guarding his hat very closely. The officer grabbed it and found hidden under the band more of the jewelry taken from the Eastman store.

UNDERTAKER FIGHTS IT.

CITY ORDINANCE ATTACKED.

James Cussen, who was arrested for violating the city ordinance in establishing an undertaking parlor at No. 1135 South Flower street, it being specified in the ordinance that no such establishment should be maintained within one hundred feet of any church, schoolhouse, or private residence, was before Judge Smith yesterday morning on habeas corpus.

City Deputy District Attorney Beebe represented the city and Attorney M. M. Meyers appeared for the defendant. In behalf of Cussen it was contended that the ordinance is unreasonable in its terms, and is class legislation as well as being in conflict with the Constitutions of the State and the United States. The main point of objection was that the ordinance is not general in its application to persons carrying on the same business in the same district.

The ordinance exempts businesses already established from the penalty prescribed. After arguments the case was continued one week to permit counsel to file a list of authorities.

DRINKS MINUS MEALS.

MRS. BICKEL IN TROUBLE.

There have been more or less riotous times at Chatsworth Park for some time past, and Mrs. C. H. Bickel gets a certain amount of the credit for it. She runs the hotel out there and has a hotel license, but it is now charged that many of her patrons were not able to get away with a meal every time they took a drink and that rather than disoblige good friends the hostess cut short on the meals and long on the drinks.

This alleged plan of retailing, while gratifying to the thirsty souls out at Chatsworth Park, gave rise to a good deal of disturbance, so it is said, and finally led to the arrest of Mrs. Bickel. Yesterday she was arraigned before Justice Young on the charge of a violation of the liquor ordinance, and was held in $200 bail. Pete Lopez, the sometime Constable at San Fernando, and who is said to have an interest in the hotel run by his mother-in-law, accompanied Mrs. Bickel into court yesterday, and was earnest in his assertions that the case would flatten out when investigated.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

MEDICAL SERVICES. W. H. Holmes has begun suit against Charles L. Hoffman and Elizabeth V. Hoffman on a claim for $352.50 assigned by Dr. Arthur C. Thorpe. The amount claimed is alleged to be due for medical and surgical services rendered by Dr. Thorpe to the defendants at their request.

HILLMANS AGAIN. The case of Helen Hillman against Henry T. L. Hillman occupied attention of the court for a short time again yesterday. The wife went East about two years ago and has only recently returned here. She avers that she went with the consent of her husband, while he says that she skipped out of her own volition. In any event, it is charged that the husband did not contribute to his wife's support, and now she is asking for maintenance and for the custody of the little boy. After a short hearing the matter was continued.

SMITH DIVORCE. Mrs. Jule Smith was granted a decree by Judge Allen yesterday divorcing her from Alfred J. Smith, on the ground of cruelty.

FINED FOR CONTEMPT. Cecil H. Smith, one of the proprietors of the Pacific Foundry Company, yesterday was cited to appear before Justice Pierce on a charge of contempt, and fined $20. He paid. Some days ago Deputy Constable Richardson went to the foundry during working hours to serve a subpoena on an employé. Smith told the deputy that employés could not be seen till quitting time, and refused to allow the serving of the subpoena.

INSURANCE CLAIM. Iola B. Moore has begun suit against the Union Casualty and Surety Company of St. Louis to recover $2500, the amount of a policy on the life of her deceased husband, Frank C. Moore. Moore was riding a bicycle down Broadway July 19, and between Third and Fourth streets was struck by a buggy shaft and run over. He died from the effects of the injuries he received on August 25. The insurance company, it is alleged, have refused to pay the claim.

SPLIT DIFFERENCE. When Allan Dodd claimed over $1200 from the Svea Insurance Company for damage done to his house on South Figueroa street, the company responded by paying into court $187, and proffered that amount. After hearing all the evidence in the case Judge Conrey yesterday split the difference and allowed the plaintiff $639.02.

H. MOSGROVE DIES.

Los Angeles Merchant Expires in Local Hospital—Leaves Store and Ranch Interests.

Henry Mosgrove, for a long period a merchant in this city, died Wednesday night at a local hospital, aged about 60.

He was a native of Belfast, Ireland, and came to California with his brother, Sam, about forty years ago. They conducted a dry-goods store in San Francisco for a number of years. Henry Mosgrove came to Los Angeles about eighteen years ago and opened a ladies' cloak and suit house which he conducted to the time of his death.

Beside his store he leaves large interests in lemon and orange groves near Pomona.

Special Rates to San Joaquin Valley.

Round trip tickets from Los Angeles to San Joaquin Valley points will be sold every Tuesday until further notice via Southern Pacific, at reduced rates. Bakersfield, $8; Porterville, Hanford, Visalia, $10.50; Tulare, $10; Fresno, Lillis, $11; Madera, $12; Merced, $13.50; Turlock, $14.50; Modesto, Newman, Stockton, $15. Full information at Southern Pacific office, 261 South Spring street, Los Angeles.

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HER SNICKERS CAUSE WRATH.

Angry Roast for Woman at Griffith Trial.

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Doctors Testify Defendant is Not Insane.

Blazing with anger, Earl Rogers turned on a woman spectator who snickered at the Griffith trial yesterday.

He thought she was hissing him.

Rogers had been arguing with vehemence. The efforts of the District Attorney to dodge Rogers's forefinger as it pumped up and down in front of his nose seemed to strike a portly woman in red sitting in the front row as funny.

She tried to suppress her laugh, but it went sliding out between her teeth with the sound of a hiss.

Rogers whirled like a flash. His eyes seemed to be darting fire.

"Someone is hissing me," he said, with a pressure of wrath on every syllable. His eyes fell on this woman, whose face was scarlet.

If looks could kill, she would have been borne tenderly out to the coroner's office.

"There are a lot of old women ——" he began.

Breaking off, he hurled words at this woman, who looked as though she wished she could evaporate.

"There is a woman," said Rogers, glaring at her, "who comes to every case I try and does this. She brings her lunch so she will not lose her place in court. I understand she is Broome's sister."

(Brooms was the man shot by Melrose, and the slayer was successfully defended by Rogers.)

Rogers stood muttering wrathful remarks about the woman while Judge Smith toasted her from the bench, saying he had feared some such thing would have this woman put out of court if the offense was repeated.

The woman breathed a sigh of mighty relief when the eyes of the crowd were transferred from her to Dr. Joseph Kurtz, the star witness who has coached the lawyers for the prosecution in medical lore for this case. He was on the stand when court closed.

Before him came an elegant two-ring circus.

EXPERT STIRS 'EM UP.

An exuberant, hilarious, rip-snorting, insanity expert and Griffith's lawyer mopped the floor with each other.

The expert did not couch his language in heavy medical phrase, but tore it off in street talk.

He's a third assistant doctor at the Napa State Asylum—Dr. I. E. Cohn—a man with a dashing mustache and gray hair.

Dr. Cohn used to run a hammam bath in Los Angeles, but won his position by standing 98⅓ per cent. in a competitive examination.

"Course I couldn't look into Griffith's box," he said crisply, "box referring to the colonel's skull, "but from his visible acts he was sure sane all right."

He said Griffith was drunk—not crazy.

Dr. Cohn came joyously to the witness stand feeling his oats; left regretfully after a cutting cross-examination by Attorney McKinley. He had a lovely time.

Cohn had read the whole library of medical books piled like a bulwark in front of Rogers. He gave the impression that he took Dr. Spitka to bed with him and read Dr. Peterson at family prayers—then contradicted them all.

He said that Griffith didn't do the shooting according to the etiquette for crazies.

"Why," said the doctor, flinging out his hands excitedly, "he wouldn't have asked her all these questions if he were crazy.

"Why, he'd a plunked her full of lead and thrown the revolver at her head and said, 'Now you're dead and I'm glad of it.'"

Mr. McKinley started to interrupt, but Cohn shouted at him: "Now, hold on. Don't you cut me off. You can't do all the talking."

"All right," said McKinley, gracefully, "we want to know all you know."

"You'll get plenty of it," said Cohn, exuberantly.

Rogers put in coldly: "Oh, I don't know; it won't take long."

But Dr. Cohn had gone on at a gallop.

"Why," he said, "he wouldn't a asked her about Briswalter. An alcoholic insane never gives a whoop about another party. Not in a thousand years!"

And Dr. Cohn settled back. That settled it.

At one of the next questions Mr. McKinley asked, the doctor waved him away.

"Oh, there's no use you're trying to muddle me, Judge McKinley, because you can't do it."

"We've done it four or five times already," retorted Rogers, savagely.

For which remarks Judge Smith called him down.

Dr. Cohn was bound to have the last word. "You put it one way, then you put it another way—and it don't go," he shouted.

When they finally tried to flay him with the medical books, he said he did not recognize the books as authority.

"There's no such thing as an authority in medicine. Half of 'em are diametrically opposed to the other half."

What the books say about grandiose ideas didn't "cut any ice" with him, he said.

"Let me see. You were appointed to your position by Gov. Gage," said McKinley.

"No, sir," said the witness, loudly. He said he won the job in a competitive examination.

"Why did you come down here?"

"At the request of the District Attorney and Mr. Gage."

"And your salary is still going on?"

"Hope so," said the witness, anxiously, as though he had never thought of it before.

McKinley started to ask him another question, but Cohn blustered back: "Now look 'a here, Judge McKinley, when I came down here I expressly stipulated that if I came to the conclusion that Griffith was crazy I should either return or testify for the defense."

Rogers glared at him for a moment, then burst into a derisive laugh.

Cohn was examined for two solid hours; was then finally excused.

"DRUNK—NOT CRAZY."

He stuck to it stoutly that Griffith was drunk and probably meant to kill his wife for money—not crazy at all.

One of the long questions asked Dr. Cohn indicate that Griffith missed the time of his life in not having the D. T's. The jimjams were described and they must be highly entertaining—rats, grinning beasts, naked girls, bells, whistles, brass bands, snakes, locomotives, bats flying around him, threatening voices, devils, plaintive wails, dogs jumping upon him and whole menageries circulating around.

There were but three or four witnesses called yesterday, one of the last of the day being Dr. Rheinhardt Wernick, a well-known specialist of this city, who has been a member of the County Lunacy Commission for seventeen years. He said Griffith was sane, in his opinion.

Rogers saw a chance he had been looking for for days.

"Suppose that Dr. Brainerd, Dr. McBride, Dr. MacGowan, thoroughly examined this man—had known him for years—and declared him sane."

The witness nodded to show his understanding.

"Would that alter your opinion?"

"I have the highest respect for those three gentlemen—that is I don't know Dr. McBride, but the other two."

"Is not Dr. Brainerd recognized as the highest authority on insanity in this State?"

An objection to this was sustained and Rogers was not allowed to pursue the matter further.

SANE, SAYS DR. KURTZ.

The defense metaphorically turned in the riot call when Dr. Kurtz, the prosecution's star, came to the stand. He is a portly man with piercing blue eyes and an excitable way of talking. He has been eminent among local physicians for years. When it comes to cross-examination, there will be "doings," as he is noted for a keen wit.

Rogers—who also is—watched him as a cat watches a rat hole during the few minutes he was on the stand.

He expressed the belief that Griffith was sane.

Said Griffith did not have genuine delusions; had known Griffith for years.

"Does jealousy constitute a delusion?" asked Mr. Gage, referring to the colonel's alleged delusion as to the chastity of his wife.

"If jealousy were a delusion, the insane asylums could not hold the insane," he said.

Mr. Gage laughed, and when the defense moved to strike out the answer, he consented that it might go out. "Although it was sensible remark," he added.

"We take an exception to that remark," said Rogers.

Dr. Kurtz said that the main characteristic of alcoholic insanity is a delusion in regard to the regenerative organs, which delusion Griffith did not have.

As regards Griffith's idea as to his wife's conduct, witness said it was an idea very common to ordinary drunks.

He said also that Griffith's delusions did not stay with him with sufficient fixity. Many of the prosecution's doctors have mentioned this, contending that Griffith would have been too sure, had he been afflicted with this mania, to have questioned his wife at the point of a pistol regarding his suspicions.

Regarding the "grandiose ideas" which have been made much of by the defense, Dr. Kurtz said that the colonel's conceit was not the proper brand to constitute an insane delusion.

"If he thought he was God, or a great general, or something like that it would be a grandiose idea; simply bragging about his wealth and thinking he could tell good stories when they were bad, would not constitute a delusion."

He was then excused for further testimony today.

NEEDS LOOK AT LIVER.

How would it do to slice Griffith open and look at his liver?

One of the doctor experts said yesterday that he could settle this matter of Griffith's sanity to a certainty if he could take one peek at the coating of the colonel's liver.

Even the hope of vindication by this means, however, did not prompt the lawyers for the defense to offer up Griffith as a sacrifice to science and justice.

This doctor with the yearning for the colonel's liver lining was a former County Coroner—Dr. George W. Campbell.

They cross-examined him until even Judge Smith rose in anguish and protested his weariness of spirit.

When Gage protested against Rogers repeating certain erudite medical questions to Campbell, His Honor said in a voice of suffering, "They all sound alike to me."

A general laugh; the other lawyers joined.

Rogers turned on the judge as savagely as it is prudent to look at a judge.

"We take an exception to that," he said, grimly.

"What, to my laughing:" asked Gage, turning in surprise.

Rogers gave a snort of derisive scorn.

"Oh, you," he said, contemptiously, "Its a joy—it does not last forever—but while it lasts, it is a joy to hear you laugh."

Gage (mockingly:) "I charge you nothing for the joy or the pain that it brings you."

CAMPBELL ON STAND.

Rogers wreaked his vengeance on Dr. Campbell, who became unhappy.

"When you left the witness stand yesterday, didn't Dr. Kurtz (the consulting expert for the prosecution) meet you in the hallway after court adjourned, and call you sundry names for not answering my former cross-examination right?"

Dr. Campbell admitted shyly that he met Dr. Kurtz and that the doctor seemed excited; but didn't tell him how to testify.

"Sort of walked up and down your anatomy?" suggested Rogers.

Witness denied that Dr. Kurtz had used his frame work as a promenade.

Rogers had a long discussion as to whether Dr. Brainerd, who testified for the defense, or witness was the more heavily equipped as to medical knowledge.

Rogers drew a book on him.

"Oh, I could read to him out of an almanac," said Gage, sneeringly.

Rogers: I take an exception to that remark.

Gage: Oh, well, take your exception.

Rogers: Thank you. I take another exception to that.

Unattached stage whisper from lawyers' table: Have one on me.

Dr. Campbell's verdict was that Griffith's actions were those of a sot, not of an insane man.

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The Book Committee is composed of twenty of the foremost Methodists in the United States. Dr. Bovard representing the Pacific Coast, and its recommendation carries with it great weight. Its advice is usually followed, and it is fair to assume that the consolidation of the publishing houses is an accomplished fact.

Urged to express an opinion as to where the central house would be located, Dr. Bovard declined to say what he thought, but there is no doubt about the committee having Chicago in mind as the proper place.

He says that the net profits of the Book Concerns last year exceeded $350,000, a considerable increase over the preceding year, and the committee declared a dividend of $110,000 in favor of the superannuate fund. This dividend was but $75,000 last year, and but $50,000 two years ago.

Before returning home, as president of the University of Southern California, Dr. Bovard visited the colleges at Evanston and Abington, Ill., to see what he could find there that might be turned to advantage in his own institution.

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It hurts. In fact, it is admitted in the bill filed yesterday that the business of the Cumulative Credit Company will be "embarrassed, broken up and destroyed," if the confiscation of its mail, under government order, be allowed to continue. It is apparent that the well-directed "fraud order," will be a knock-out blow to Orlando.

It is doubtful if the court will issue the injunction prayed for. All the necessary papers in the fraud order matter have been forwarded from Washington, and are now in the hands of the postal authorities here. These will enable them to show at once their authority for confiscating the complainant's mail. The court will probably decide the question this morning.

The complaint recites that the Cumulative Credit Company has sold 7500 of its certificates, and has paid up and canceled 2500, leaving in force 5000, which is taken as a basis for the statement that since its inception June 1, 1903, the company has built up "an extensive and profitable business," throughout the country, "a large part of which is conducted by correspondence carried on through the United States mails." For five months prior to February 23 last, it is alaiged its receipts through the mails of payments upon outstanding certificates averaged $2500 a week.

The company denies sending through the mails circulars containing false statements respecting the plan, scope or intent of its business, or any false promises; or that it ever attempted to obtain money by false pretenses. It claims to be engaged in a legal and legitimate business, conducted according to business and legal methods.

The complaint continues: "Sundry persons, believing the business of your orator to be competitive with their business, complained to the Postoffice Department that complainant was not engaged in a legitimate business."

It is also alleged that the statutes under which the fraud order was issued have no application whatever to the conduct or carrying on of the Cumulative Credit Company's business, and that the fraud order is in violation of the Constitution of the United States, being "vicious, illegal and void."

What will become of the Cumulative if that injunction be refused?

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Conversation.

The war between Japan and Russia was one of the principal topics at the meeting of the Conversation and Book Review Club. Mrs. Charles Sawyer introduced Mrs. Emma M. Greenleaf, who addressed the club upon the Russo-Japanese War. Following the speaker there was a general discussion. Another special order of the day was the telling of stories. Among those participating in this were Mmes. Last, Wilson, Spahr, Seek, Hamilton and Andrews. By way of preface to a graphic review of "Silas Marner," which followed, Mrs. Greenleaf gave an analytical outline of the elements essential to the make-up of the ideal novel. Miss Nette Kirkham rendered a violin solo at the close of the meeting, which was warmly encored.

East Whittier.

The East Whittier Improvement Club, one of the pioneer suburban clubs, held an interesting meeting this week, at the home of Mrs. Fannie Thompson. The war between Russia and Japan was treated in several papers, Mrs. Fletcher telling of the causes which led to it, and Mrs. Barton of the status. Current events, directed by Mrs. Reed, included many subjects, among them the following: "The New Baltimore," Mrs. Sanborn; "New Uses of the Lemon," Mrs. Thompson; "Cuban Independence," Mrs. Cook; "Camino Real," Mrs. Bickel; "Mark Hanna," Mrs. Reed.

The club decided to celebrate Arbor Day on March 17. The grounds of the East Whittier school will be set with trees and ornamental shrubs.

Los Angeles and Del Monte.

Through Standard Pullman sleeper for Del Monte, without change, leaves Arcade Depot every day at 1.10 p.m., via Southern Pacific.

Theater of War.

The colored map, with statistics on opposite page, which appeared in the Sunday Times of February 21, will be printed separately in colors, on heavy paper, for preservation and reference, and will be on sale at all book stores and at The Times office at 25c.

New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Offices of The Times are being remodeled, the entrance to both advertising and subscription departments will be on First street at the eastern extremity of the building.

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TALKS WITH TRAVELERS.

"At three different periods I have arranged to tour California and disaster has befallen me each time," said Mrs. J. C. Burrows yesterday, "but, as you see, I am not yet discouraged. I am almost afraid to boast though for fear the fates will yet interfere with my progress northward."

Mrs. Burrows is the wife of United States Senator Burrows of Michigan. She is registered at the Angelus from Kalamazoo. After spending several weeks in Southern California, Mrs. Burrows will proceed northward, and later to Honolulu.

"When at San Francisco we are so near the Hawaiian Islands—so near when regarded from a Washington, D. C, standpoint—I feel that it is an opportunity not to be missed. I am delighted with your summerland State and I have to congratulate myself on escaping the rigors of this awful winter of the East. 'The worst ever known' is Mr. Burrows's comment in every letter written me. If the time ever comes when Mr. Burrows parts company with politics, I shall insist upon spending our declining years in California.

"What about Mr. Burrows's political aspirations? I don't think it can be said that he has any. For thirty years he has served his State and I think that in all that time the office has sought him. Some well-meaning friends may have had him in mind for the Vice-Presidency, but if there was the slightest danger of such a nomination being made I should enter a most vigorous protest. I have no desire to belittle the office of Vice-President, but I know of a no more exalted and dignified position within the gift of the people than that of United States Senator. I don't think Senator Burrows will be regarded as seriously upon the Vice-Presidential horizon.

"Since coming to Los Angeles, in fact only today, I have had one of the most pleasant experiences of my life. It was my good fortune, oh, so many years ago I hesitate to confess them, to graduate from the Woman's College at Rockford, Ill. Today with a party of others of the alumni of that dear old alma mater, I sat at an anniversary banquet at the Woman's Club house. Among those that greeted me was one of the first teachers I ever had at the college. It was delightful to meet old schoolmates under such pleasant auspices."

THE LAKE ISLE OF INNISFREE.

I will arise and go now, and go to Innisfree,
And a small cabin build there of clay and wattles made;
Nine bean rows will I have there, a hive for the honey bee,
And live alone in the bee-loud glade.

And I shall have some peace there, for peace comes dropping slow,
Dropping from the veils of the morning to where the cricket sings;
There midnight's all a glimmer, and noon a purple glow,
And evening full of the linnet's wings.

I will arise and go now, for always night and day,
I hear lake water lapping with low sounds by the shore;
While I stand on the roadway, or on the pavement gray,
I hear it in deep heart's core.

—[W. B. Yeats.

At Conneaut, O., fire practically wiped out the business portion of Conneaut Harbor; loss, $100,000.

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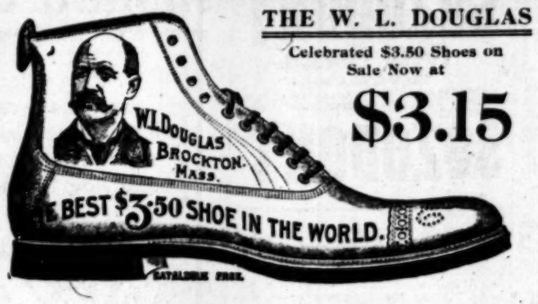

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Stock No. 1210. Ladies' Vici Kid Oxfords. Blair's price $3.00; Sale price..... $1.85
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Stock No. 311. Ladies' Vici Kid patent tip, lace, military heel, A to D, all sizes. Blair's price $4.00; Sale price..... $2.75
Stock No. 451. Ladies' patent kid, Goodyear welt soles, low heels, A to E, all sizes. Blair's price $5.50; Sale price..... $3.75
Stock No. 403. Ladies' Vici Kid, patent tip, Goodyear welt, military heel, A to E, all sizes. Blair's price $5; Sale price..... $3.50
Stock No. 1942. Misses' Vici Kid, patent tip, lace or button, all sizes, 11 to 2. Blair's price $2.50; Sale price..... $1.65

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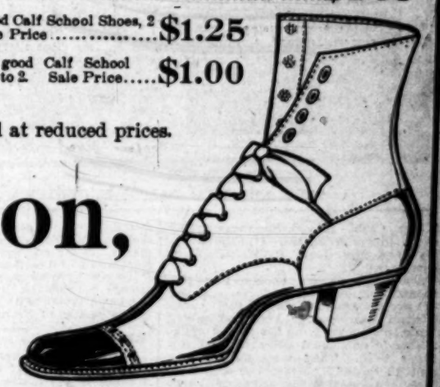

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

MR. AND MRS. A. C. THORPE of No. 1449 Constance street entertained last evening in honor of Dr. Thorpe's father, G. C. Thorpe of Minnesota. The evening was delightfully spent in music and conversation and a reunion of old acquaintances was enjoyed.

Light refreshments were served later in the evening. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Burlock and Miss Burlock of Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. Ball, Miss Ball and Mr. Ball of Vermont, Mr. and Mrs. Wyckman, Mrs. McClaughry, Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Mae Livingston and Miss Bessie Bedell, Mr. and Mrs. Field of Vermont.

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Washington Party.

Last evening Mrs. J. B. Rowe of No. 123 West Ninth street was the hostess at a Washington whist party. The guests were members of the Trolley

MR. AND MRS. JAMES H. JENIFER.

Whist Club. The affair was really given in honor of Mrs Isabelle Nichols and Mrs. Mary E. McConnell of Pittsburgh.

About the rooms smilax was festooned and draped to form a bower of green, against whose soft background hatchets of red and silver hung in all sizes from the tiniest imaginable to one equal to cutting off Goliah's head. They were strung here and there, and scarlet carnations in high cut-glass vases stood in every conceivable place. A dainty luncheon was served to the guests at the small tables.

The gentlemen's prize was a pretty silver match box with a trolley car engraved on it's surface, and the ladies' was a souvenir spoon with a tiny trolley car in the bowl.

The guests of the evening included Mr. and Mrs. U. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eucker, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Peck, Mrs. Isabelle Nichols, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Mary E. McConnell, William T. Noble, Mr. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Judd.

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Farewell Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brand of No. 607 Parkview street gave a farewell dance in honor of their niece, Miss Austeene George. Mr. and Mrs. Brand will leave on Saturday for their Hollywood home, Miradera.

The house had been made attractive for the occasion with Egyptian papyrus and smilax. Dainty programmes in the Martha Washington style with Miss George's initials intertwined in gold were souvenirs of the dance. Punch was served between the dances and later refreshments were served.

Those who enjoyed the evening's jollity were: Misses Dorice Davidson, Lucile Kelley, Evelyn McCauley, Beulah Price, Florence Clark, Edith Welch, Pearl Pitman, Flora Guthrie, Sarah Utley, Virginia Johnson, Jessie Morgan, Ines Thomas, Helen Blocker and Gladys Reynolds; Messrs. David Barmore, Melvin George, Horace Stanton, James Utley, Clarence Quinn, Frank Brand, Gordon Avery, John Milner, Emerson Duff, Louis Hauser, Roy Williamson, Leo Smith, Bert Bailey and Fred McCartney.

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Whist Party.

Mrs. Frank W. Huggins of No. 1018 South Hill street gave a whist party yesterday afternoon to about forty ladies. The house was a symphony of violet tones. Crepe paper was used in varying shades of violet, while the blue-eyed blossoms were in clusters about the rooms. The score cards were heart shaped with violets painted on them, the dainty handiwork of the hostess. Violet candles and ices were served and punch also during the games of cards.

The first prize was a dear little blue and gold jewel box in Haviland china, also decorated by the hostess; the second a pretty cup and saucer, was hand-painted in violets.

Mrs. Huggins, who is a stunningly handsome woman, received her guests in a gown of black spangled net over silk, which was most becoming to her blonde beauty.

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Iroquois Club.

Mrs. H. K. Williams and Miss Ida Sharpless were at home on Thursday evening to the members of the Iroquois Whist Club, having as their guest of honor, Mrs. Symondson of London, England. The party was given at the home of Mrs. Williams, which was transformed into a veritable flower garden, in honor of the occasion. Low bowls filled with violets graced the tables and beautiful roses were arranged in clusters about the rooms.

The mantel was a mass of delicate violets, while in the fireplace beneath, calla lilies bloomed.

The tally cards were in the shape of hearts, clubs and spades with dainty hand painting ornamenting them. The lights shone softly through shades of red crepe paper, and crepe paper was draped over the walls. After two hours at cards, refreshments were served.

Prizes were awarded as follows: The first ladies', a Bohemian glass vase, was given to Miss Symondson, the guest of honor. Mr. Miers received the gentlemen's prize, which was a handsome stein. Mr. Madison was awarded the consolation, a bisque dog.

Those who enjoyed the delightful evening were: Mrs. Symondson of London, Eng., Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Symondson of this city, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murphy, Mrs. Dutzler, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Rest, Miss Relvig, Mrs. H. K. Williams, Miss Sharpless, Miss Badie, Mrs. Cullems, Mrs. C. Brown, Mr. Ettling, Mr. Lovery, Mr. Miers, Mr. Madison, Mr. Geldrich and Mr. Schwartz.

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Informal Afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Slauson was the hostess yesterday at an informal gathering of friends invited to meet Mrs D. W. Earl of San Francisco, who is her guest.

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Jenifer-de Rerner Nuptials.

The marriage of James H. Jenifer and Miss Hortense de Rerner took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo de Rerner, at Pacoima, in the San Fernando Valley. The bride wore white crepe voile trimmed with lace appliqué and carried Bride's roses. The guests numbered sixty-four, and included friends from Wisconsin, New Mexico and Los Angeles and other neighboring places. A big red devil auto driven by Ed Cowan of Los Angeles whisked the bride and groom past the group of friends who at the depot were waiting to shower them with rice. Mr. Jenifer is postmaster of Fernando.

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"Black Cat" Club.

Mrs. A. K. Brauer entertained the "Black Cat" Whist Club on Monday evening at her home, at No. 1807 West Adams street. The rooms were decorated in honor of Washington's birthday. Hatchet designs were prominent on the cards and souvenirs. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. F. Beaudezart, Mr. and Mrs. F. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Brauer, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hanst, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hubbard and Miss Gerats.

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Luncheon at Garvanza.

Mrs. C. W. Smith of Highland Park entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Garvanza Villa. Red poppies were displayed effectively and places were marked by hatchets tied with the national colors. Covers were laid for Mrs. Albert Phillips, Mrs. Fred Knight, Mrs. M. Botsford, Mrs. Carl G. Packard, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. Joslyn, Mrs. Frank H. Miller, Mrs. F. H. Gannahl, Mrs. James Donovan, Mrs. Helen Enhling and Miss Sarah Hurst.

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Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fellner of No. 161 West Sixteenth street gave a birthday dinner Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Louise Bernhard of Chicago, Ill. The house was profusely decorated with smilax and potted plants. The hostess was assisted by Miss Elvira Peters. Those present were Mrs. C. Rathgen, Minneapolis; Mrs. A. Struckmann, Oakland; Mrs. C. A. Platch, Cincinnati, O.; Mrs. S. Schmidt, Mrs. C. Langue, Mrs. B. G. Thompson, Mrs. W. M. Gillespie, Mrs. L. Syme, Miss Hertha Pahl and the Misses Olga and Agatha Dietrich.

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Birthday Party.

Mrs. J. H. Carter of No. 503 North Figueroa street, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Edward Smith of Fon du Lac (Wis.) entertained last night in honor of the twelfth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Pearl. Lilies, smilax and roses formed the floral decorations. The guests were Ernest Carson, Ramona Carter, Robert Harper, Harry Cheesman, Kate Harper, Tillie Carson, Minnie and Katie Deutch, Nellie Duncan, Bertie and Nellie Cline.

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Dinner for Seventy.

Last night, Mr. and Mrs. J. Korn of No. 742 Lake street, entertained with a large dinner party in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. There were four long tables arranged in the parlors, and they were spread with all sorts and kinds of tempting dainties, silver candelabra with rose-colored pink shades cast a soft light over all, and pink tulle was festooned over each table, together with smilax. French bows of tulle added to the beauty displayed. Seventy guests sat down to the elaborate banquet and during the evening violin, mandolin, and piano music was discoursed. Afterwards, the rooms were cleared and dancing was enjoyed, by those who cared for it, while in another room tables were arranged for cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Korn were the recipients of much beautiful cut glass and silver from their many friends.

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Entertained at Cards.

Last evening Mrs. J. Roth Hamilton gave a card party at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jennie Kempton of No. 827 South Figueroa street. Mrs. J. R. Dyers of Milwaukee, was the guest of honor for the occasion. Progressive whist was the game of the evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Burrall, Mr. and Mrs. S Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Braly, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Doran, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ashley, Dr. and Mrs Herbert Requa, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hutchison and Mr. and Mrs. Beck.

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Fathers' Meeting.

The last meeting of the Thirtieth-street Child Study Circle was made a "fathers' meeting," instead of the usual mothers' meeting. About 100 persons were present. Assistant School Superintendent Bettenger gave an address on the "Value of the Child Study Circles as Seen in the Superintendent's Office." Mrs. A. B. Cass, the local president, outlined the work of the circle, and there was a musical programme which included a solo by Charlie Rogers, songs by Charles Edson, harp solos by Miss Bond and a recitation by Marco Busette. After the programme refreshments were served.

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College Luncheon.

The first annual banquet of the Rockford College Association of Southern California, was given yesterday at 1 o'clock at the Woman's Club House on Figueroa street.

Miss Mary E. B. Norton of Pacific Grove was the guest of honor. She taught in the Rockford College for more than thirty years.

Mrs. W. A. Baldwin acted as toastmistress for the occasion, and toasts were responded to as follows: "A Voice from the Past," Miss Mary Norton; "Paradise and the Peri," Dr. W. A. Edwards; "Memories of the Early Days," Mrs. J. C. Burroughs of the class of '64; "Rockford College and Its Needs," Miss Emily Reynolds, ex-president of Rockford College; "The Present and Future of Rockford College," Hon. John H. Sherratt, president of board of trustees, Rockford College.

The college colors, violet and white, were used effectively throughout the room. The small tables were ornamented with French baskets filled with violets and tied with fluffy bows of lavender tulle. Place cards were dainty violet conceits, and the central table had as a center piece a tall cut-glass vase of brake ferns set on a large mirror surrounded by violet and maiden hair ferns. Small vases of freslas were set about on the shining damask and single violets were sprinkled over the cloth. The head of the table was marked by a great bunch of parma violets, tied to the chair, and Mrs. Edwards, the toastmistress occupied this place. Those present were: Mrs. James Gilchrist, Mrs. H. H. Markham, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sherratt, Miss Scofield, Mrs. E. S. Cummings, Mrs. Belle W. Bice, Miss Emily Reynolds, Mrs. J. C. Burrows, Mrs. James Staggers, Mrs. B. Randolph, Miss Susie D. Randolph, Mrs. Frank Denver, Mrs. Root, Mrs. Shivery, Miss Norton, Mrs. D. G. Baldwin, Miss Myra Baldwin, Mrs. M. S. Hinman, Mrs. H. A. Cowan, Mrs. A. L. Lobingier, Mrs. Robert Haynes, Mrs. J. F. Hervey, Mrs. W. D. Edwards, Miss Nellie Taylor, Miss Ellen Parker, Mrs. P. C. Wadsworth, Mrs. J. P. Jones, Mrs. H. Buckbee, Mrs. William M. Garland, Mrs. Betts, Miss Warner, Mrs. S. W. Schenck, Mrs E. Brown, Miss Harps, Miss Cronweidt, Miss Randall

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To Hear Mme. Blauvelt.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clark entertained a party in two boxes at the Mason, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Minor, Mr. and Mrs. William Garland, Cornelia Winder, Adelaide Brown, Ella Clark, Hugh Stewart, Norwood Howard and Henry T. Lee.

After the performance a supper at the Angelus Grill was enjoyed by the guests. The party was augmented by Mme. Blauvelt, who is a cousin of Mrs. Clark, and her husband, Mr. Pendleton, and Miriam B. Tilton, a sister of Mme. Blauvelt.

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Notes and Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin Vandervoort have as their house guest Mrs. Vandervoort's nephew, Lacey J. Patterson of Omaha, Neb.

Ross W. Foster of No. 11 Chester Place has returned to his home after a six weeks' visit in New York, where he went to attend the automobile show.

A silver shower and reception to new members of Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church will be given in the church parlors tonight.

George N. Black, deputy president of the I.O.B.B., has gone to San Francisco to attend the annual session of the Grand Lodge. Miss Black did not accompany her brother, but will go North later in the season for an extended stay. She will receive as usual Fridays at her new home, at No. 2110 South Grand avenue.

Mrs. Isaac Norton and Miss Florence Norton entertained about forty of their friends at a card party yesterday afternoon.

GENTLE PERSUASION.

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Theater of War.

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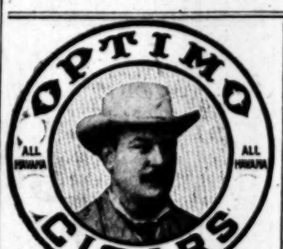

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Central		
Consolid.		
Commercial		
Peerless Oil		
Globe		
Globe (Whittier)		
Home Petroleum		
Junction		
Los Angeles Lard, Oil & L. Co.		
Pico Cañon		
Red Cross		
Termo		
Union		
Union Con. Ref. Co.		
United Petroleum		
Wellsaks		
Whittier Con. Oil		

BONDS.

Associated Oil Co.		
Bakersfield & K. E. Ry		
Cal. Development		
Cal. Dom. Water Co.		
Cal. Portland Cement Co.		
Cal. Port. C. Co. com		
Cal. Water Co. of Pomona		
Edison Elec. Co. Con		
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Home Telephone Co.		
L. A. Redondo, Ry. Co.		
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Belcher Belle Copper		
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Black Hills Copper		
Bute Lode		
Buffs M. & M. Co.		
Colorado G. M. Co.		
Exposed Treasure		
Golden Argus		
Home Belle		
Ludlow Bell		
Mitchell Mining		
New Era		
Nevada-Keystone		
Peninsula M. & R. Co.		
Santa Ana Tin M. Co.		
Searchlight M. & M. Co.		
South Bisbee		
Verde King		
Wallapai		

BANKS.

American National		
Broadway Bank & Trust		
Central		
Citizens' National		
Columbia Savings Bank		
Commercial National		
Dollar Savings Bank		
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l		
First National		
German-American		
Los Angeles National		
Los Angeles Trust Co.		
Merchants' National		
Merchants' Bank of Cal.		
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Southern Cal. Savings		
Southwestern National		
State Bank & Trust		
First National, Pasadena		
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Edison Electric com		
Home Telephone		
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BUSINESS.

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[illegible] Oil	$ .19	$ .31
[illegible]	.85	....
[illegible]	.20	....
[illegible]	.11	.16
[illegible] Oil	.17	....
[illegible]	....	.16
(Whittier)	....	1.75
Petroleum	.20	.30
[illegible] Co.	....	.15
[illegible] & L. Co.	....	.00
[illegible]	1.09	....
[illegible]	1.15	....
[illegible]	57.00	60.00
[illegible] Ref. Co.	....	1.25
[illegible] Petroleum	90.00	101.00
[illegible]	.02½	....
[illegible] Con. Oil	.01½	.02½

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible] Oil Co.	$70.00	$ 80.00
[illegible] & K. E. Ry.	....	102.00
[illegible] Development	....	100.00
[illegible] Dom. Water Co.	....	100.00
[illegible] Portland Cement Co.	....	100.00
[illegible] Pert. C. Co. com.	....	98.00
[illegible] Water Co. of Pomona	....	100.00
[illegible] Elec. Co. Con.	....	100.00
[illegible] Elec. Co. old issue	....	102.00
[illegible] Telephone Co.	79.00	81.00
[illegible] & Redondo Ry. Co.	....	102.00
[illegible] Trans. & F. Co.	....	100.00
[illegible] Con. Water Co.	....	100.00
[illegible] Water Co.	99.00	....
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MINING.

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[illegible] Belle Copper	$ .03½	$ .67
[illegible] West Copper	.10	.13
[illegible] Hills Copper	....	.21
[illegible] Lode	19.30	25.00
[illegible] M. & M. Co.	.67½	.74½
[illegible] G. M. Co.	....	.40
[illegible] Treasure	.30	.45
[illegible] Argus	....	17.00
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[illegible] Mining	....	6.50
[illegible]	.06	.10
[illegible]-Keystone	....	.70
[illegible] M. & S. Co.	....	.09
[illegible] Tin M. Co.	.14	.23
[illegible] M. & M. Co.	.25	....
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[illegible]	.01	....

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American National	$108.00	$112.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	140.00	152.00
Central	145.00	....
Citizens National	135.00	....
Columbia Savings Bank	95.00	....
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Farmers & Mer. Nat'l	210.00	225.00
First National	290.00	....
German-American	330.00	....
Los Angeles National	193.00	198.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	98.00	102.00
Merchants National	243.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	120.00	....
Security Savings Bank	205.00	....
Southern Cal. Savings	225.00	....
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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs remained fairly steady at yesterday's quotations. While receipts were large the demand took care of them, preventing a drop in price.

Potatoes are firm, fancy Salinas going at 1.90@2.00 with choice at 1.85.

Lobsters are in liberal supply. Small fish are scarce.

Plenty of wild geese have been received yesterday and today. White are quoted at 2.00@3.50; gray at 4.00@6.00.

Rabbits are in good demand at 1.75@2.00 dozen.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per 2-lb. square, 70; valley creamery, 67½@70; Coast creamery, 62½@60; dairy, 54@58 per lb.; cooking, 42½.

EGGS—Per doz., fancy fresh local ranch, candled, 20@21; do., case count, 18@19.

CHEESE—California, Anchor, per lb., 16; California, Young America, per lb., 17; California, 2-lb. hand, per lb., 18; northern, 13½; cheddars, eastern, 15½, twins, 15½; singles, 16; Longhorn, 16½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 18; imported Swiss, per lb., 26½; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 16@16½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., Magaw, 16@16½; MacLaren's Red Rose, choice, 15½@16.

Beans and Lentils.

BEANS—Pink, per cwt., 3.37½@3.60; Lady Washington, 3.25@3.50; small white, 3.40@3.60; blackeye, 2.25@3.00; Limas, 3.50@4.00; Garbanzos, 4.50@6.00; field peas, 2.00; lentils, 6.00@7.00; horse beans, 3.50.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Highland Burbanks, 1.50@1.65; Wood Island, 1.40; Salinas Burbanks, 1.85@2.00; Oregon, 1.65@1.75; Nevada Pearls, 1.75@1.85; sweet potatoes, 2.50@2.50.

ONIONS—Oregon, 2.50@2.75; Nevada, 2.75@3.00.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 1.50; cabbage, 1.50@2.00; carrots, 1.00 per cwt.; green chilies, 20 per lb.; dry chilies, per string, 6@50; lettuce, per sack, 75; parsnips, 50@1.00 per cwt.; peas, 6; radishes, per dozen bunches, 20; garlic, 6; watercress, 60 per dozen; spinach, 40 per dozen; tomatoes, 1.25 per box; string beans, 18 per lb.; turnips, 1.50.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 25@30.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 12@14; extracted, 5@7.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 5½@6; apricots, 8@9; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice 6½@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 12; plums, pitted, 7@8; prunes, choice, 3@6; fancy, 6@9; dates, 5@6, new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8@9.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 3.00; London Layers, per box, 1.50@2.25; loose, 7@8½ per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 8@9½.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13@13½; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils, 12; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 7; roasted, 9; California, choice raw, 5@5½; California, fancy raw, 5½; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 14@14½; hardshell, first grade, 13½@14; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 4.10@4.80; northern, 4.80; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.65; lower grades, 4.50@5.00; graham flour, 2.40@2.50 per cwt.

CORNMEAL—2.10@2.20.
ROLLED BARLEY—1.30.
CRACKED CORN—1.45.
BRAN—1.20.
FEED MEAL—1.50.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.25@5.37½.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 3.25@4.25 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 4.00@4.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. cost 10c, ½ bbls. 25c, boxes 50c and 50-lb. bags 10c per 100 lbs. more. Beet sugar, 5.35; cane sugar, 5.55; cube, 5.80; powdered, 5.65; confectioners' A, 5.55; extra C, 5.05; Golden C, 4.95; D, 4.85; Magnolia A, 5.15; tablets, ½ bbls., 6.05; boxes, 6.30.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 1.00@2.00; green, 50@60.

ORANGES—Navels, 50@1.75; seedlings, 25@1.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.00@1.75.
CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 8.50@10.00.
LIMES—Per 100, 90@1.25.
COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.
BANANAS—Per lb., 4½@4½.
QUINCES—Per box, 1.10@1.75.
PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 2.50@4.00.
GUAVAS—Per box, 10@12.
STRAWBERRIES—Per box, fancy, 18@20; common, 20@12.
GRAPES—Per crate, 2.00@3.00.
APPLES—Per box, 1.00@1.85.
PEARS—Per box, 1.25@1.50.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7½@7¾.
VEAL—Per lb., 10@10½.
MUTTON—Per lb., 8@8½; lamb, 10.
PORK—Per lb., 8¼@9.

Provisions.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 10; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 8@8¼; suetene, 8¼; Rex, tierces, 9¾; White Label, tierces, 10.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; California, 9¾@10½; Winchester, medium, 14½; do., small, 15; Premium, 15¼; skinned, 14½@15; Gold Band, 15½; mild cured, 13½.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 12@12½; short clears, 11½@12¼; clear backs, 11½@12.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 15½@16¾.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 27.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 16½; Winchester, medium, 16½; light, 17; Empire, 17½; Premium, 20½; Diamond C, 18¾; 49'er, 17½; Gold Band, 20½.

Game.

RABBITS—Per doz., cottontails, 1.50@2.00; hares, 1.50@2.00; brush rabbits, 1.00@1.25.

WILD GEESE—Per doz., gray, 3.00@5.00; white, 2.00@3.00.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—1.25.
OATS—1.35@1.40.
CORN—1.40.
WHEAT—1.65.
HAY—Barley, 14.00@17.00; alfalfa, 14.00@15.00; tame oat, 14.00@17.00; wheat, 14.00@17.00.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 14@17 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 12@15; for turkeys, 16@18; geese, 11@13. Selling prices are, per lb.: Old roosters, 12c; old hens, 15@16; young roosters, 18@20; broilers, 4.00@5.00 dozen; fryers, 5.00@6.00; turkeys, alive, per lb., 20@22; ducks, alive, 5.00@6.00; geese, 11@12.

NEW YORK MARKET.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The tentative effort to turn prices upward which was in evidence the day before in the stock market met with better success today. The more favorable condition came from abroad again, just as the adverse factors from that direction have done at the previous efforts to advance prices. The improvement was of a negative character, largely consisting in an amelioration of the depression abroad. The numerous failures which occurred yesterday among banking houses at various points on the continent served to clear the atmosphere and to create the impression that the weak spots were now uncovered and the mystery and suspense relieved. This was evidently the view taken in the foreign markets themselves. The extreme depression in Russian securities, which had been the cause of financial troubles in France and Germany, have been aggravated by the Japanese naval successes, and the latest affair at Port Arthur, which was something of an antidote to this, helped the bourses, which are largely committed to Russian securities. The beginning of the fortnightly settlement in London today, failed to uncover any weak spots, and this again disproved some of the fears which have conduced to the recent weakness there. The buying of today was attributed largely to the short account. This assumption was based in part upon the fact that the turn in prices came without any change in the character of the news, or in existing conditions. But unchanged conditions, even when they are unfavorable, do not warrant an indefinite decline in prices. The professional traders have been watching the market keenly for several days past for signs that the now considerable decline had reached proportions to satisfy the conditions which started it, or whether, in their own phrase, the market was oversold. Assertions were made that there was some slight buying from commission houses, attracted by the low level of prices. That it was not large is sufficiently attested by the volume of the market. The further rise in wheat and the fall in cotton were consistent in response to the war in Eastern Asia. There was less money offering here to loan on time, and the demand for longer periods showed an appreciable increase. The average of the day's gains for the most active stocks was above a point. The closing was strong, but very dull. Bonds were firm, but lightly dealt in. Total sales, par value, $1,335,000. United States 3s registered declined ¼ per cent. on call.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Today's treasury statement: Available cash balances, $225,203,-734; gold, $101,185,685.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Close—Money on call steady; highest, 2 per cent.; lowest 1¾ per cent.; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent.; last bid and offer, 1¾ per cent.; last loan, 1¾ per cent. Time loans were firm with sixty and ninety-day loans at 3@3½ per cent. and six months at 4@4¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5¼ per cent. Sterling exchange is steady, with bankers' bills at 4.85 11-20@4.86 3-5 for actual business for demand and at 4.83 3-8@4.83 13-20 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates, 4.84@4.84½ and 4.87@4.87½. Commercial bills, 4.83¼@4.83½. Silver bars, 57¾c; Mexican dollars, 45c. Bonds, government, firm; railroad, firm.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Atchison	13,200	65¾	64½	65¾
Atchison pfd	800	88½	88½	88½
Baltimore & Ohio	16,000	75¾	74¼	75¾
B. & O. pfd	.....	.....	.....	88
Canadian Pacific	6,300	114	112	113¾
Central of New Jersey	100	155	155	155
Chesapeake & Ohio	200	29¾	29¾	29½
Chicago & Alton	700	35½	35	35¾
C. & Alton pfd	.....	.....	.....	80
Chicago & G. W.	1,300	14¾	14	14¾
Chicago & N. W.	300	163	162	162
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	33,300	139¼	137¾	139¼
C., M. & St. P. pfd	.....	.....	.....	173
Chicago Ter. & Tran.	100	8¾	8¾	8½
Chicago T. & T. pfd	.....	.....	.....	19½
C., C., C. & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	72
Colorado Southern	500	15½	14½	15¼
Colo. So. 1st pfd	200	53¾	52¾	53½
Colo. So. 2nd pfd	200	22½	22	22¾
Delaware & Hudson	200	157	156½	156½
Del., Lack. & Western	100	18¾	18½	18
Denver & Rio Grande	100	18¾	18¾	18
D. & R. G. pfd	500	65	64½	65
Erie	10,400	22¾	22¾	22¾
Erie 1st pfd	2,100	62¾	61¼	62¾
Erie 2nd pfd	2,100	39¾	35½	39
Hocking Valley	.....	.....	.....	71
Hock. Val. pfd	.....	.....	.....	80
Illinois Central	600	126½	126¼	126¾
Iowa Central	500	18½	17½	18¼
Iowa Central pfd	400	34	32	34
Kansas City Southern	.....	.....	.....	16½
K. C. Southern pfd	.....	.....	.....	31¾
Louisville & Nashville	2,300	102¾	101½	102
Manhattan L.	900	141¾	141	141¾
Metropolitan Securities	200	84½	84½	84½
Metropolitan St. Ry.	900	115	114½	114¾
Minn. & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	58
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	400	59¼	58½	58½
Minn., St. Paul pfd	100	117	117	117
Missouri Pacific	7,100	88¾	87¼	88¾
Missouri, Kan. & Tex.	400	15½	14¾	15¾
M., K. & T. pfd	300	36	35	35
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd	200	35	34¾	35
New York Central	3,700	114¾	114	114
Norfolk & Western	2,300	56½	55¾	56
N. & W. pfd	200	88	88	88
Ontario & Western	2,200	20½	19¾	20¼
Pennsylvania	55,700	113¾	112¾	113¾
P., C., C. & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	55
Reading	8,800	40¾	39½	40¾
Reading 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	75¾
Reading 2nd pfd	300	56	55	55½
Rock Island Co.	3,800	20¾	20	20¾
Rock Island Co. pfd	200	60¾	59½	60
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	.....	.....	.....	40
St. Louis, S. W.	200	13¾	13¼	13
St. L., S. W. pfd	200	31	30	30
Southern Pacific	22,200	44¾	43	44
Southern Railway	2,100	18¾	18½	18¾
Southern Railway pfd	100	79¾	78¾	78¾
Texas & Pacific	1,300	22¾	22	22¾
Toledo, St. L. & W.	200	24¾	23	23½
T., St. L. & W. pfd	600	33¾	32¾	32¾
Union Pacific	23,400	74¾	72¾	74
Union Pacific pfd	200	87	86¾	87
Wabash	300	17¾	17½	17½
Wabash pfd	1,900	34¾	33¼	34¾
Wheeling & Lake Erie	.....	.....	.....	14½
Wisconsin Central	400	17¾	17½	17¾
Wisconsin Central pfd	300	40¾	39	40
Express Companies—				
Adams	.....	.....	.....	220
American	.....	.....	.....	185
United States	.....	.....	.....	100
Wells-Fargo	.....	.....	.....	200
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	41,600	47¾	45¾	47¾
Am. Car & Foundry	1,800	19¾	18	19¾
Am. Car & F. pfd	200	65	65	65
Am. Cotton Oil	.....	.....	.....	27
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	.....	.....	.....	88
American Ice	300	5¾	5½	5¾
American Ice pfd	1,200	22	21¾	21¾
Am. Linseed Oil	.....	.....	.....	8
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	.....	.....	.....	26
American Locomotive	3,300	22¾	21½	22¾
Am. Locomotive pfd	100	79	79	79
Am. Smelting & Ref.	400	47	46	46¾
Am. S. & R. pfd	100	89¾	89¾	89¾
Am. Sugar Refining	400	124¾	122¾	124¾
Anaconda M. Co.	.....	.....	.....	63
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	19,100	39¾	38¾	39¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	100	32	31	31
Consolidated Gas	4,300	190	187½	190
Corn Products	100	17¾	17¾	17
Corn Products pfd	.....	.....	.....	66
Distillers' Securities	.....	.....	.....	22¾
General Electric	1,100	160	158	160
International Paper	600	12	11½	11¾
Int'l Paper pfd	700	65½	65	64¾
International Pump	.....	.....	.....	30
Int'l Pump pfd	.....	.....	.....	71¾
National Lead	100	14¾	14½	14¾
North American	100	82	82	81¾
Pacific Mail	100	25¾	25¾	25¾
People's Gas	900	98	97¾	97¾
Pressed Steel Car	.....	.....	.....	27
P. Steel Car pfd	.....	.....	.....	66
Pullman Palace Car	.....	.....	.....	208
Republic Steel	400	7¾	7½	7¾
Republic Steel pfd	.....	.....	.....	42
Rubber Goods	300	19	18¾	18¾
Rubber Goods pfd	.....	.....	.....	75¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	700	35¾	34¾	35
United States Leather	400	7	6¾	6¾
U. S. Leather pfd	1,000	77½	76¾	77
United States Realty	500	7¾	7	7
U. S. Realty pfd	800	51	49¾	51
United States Rubber	100	12	12	11½
U. S. Rubber pfd	700	47½	46	47½
United States Steel	1,000	10¾	10¾	10¾
U. S. Steel pfd	25,000	55¾	54¾	55¼
Westinghouse Electric	1,600	158½	155	158
Western Union	200	87	86¾	87
Northern Securities	.....	.....	.....	80½

Total sales for day.....366,700

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	105	Man. Con. G. 4s	102¾
U. S. R. 2s coup.	105	Mex. Cen. 4s	64
U. S. 3s reg.	106	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	13¼
U. S. 3s coup.	106½	M. & St. L. 4s	96½
U. S. n. 4s reg.	132¾	M., K. & T. 4s	97¾
U. S. n. 4s coup.	132¾	M., K. & T. 2s	77
U. S. old 4s reg.	107½	Mex. Nat'l Con. 4s	73
U. S. old 4s coup.	107½	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	96½
Atchison, Gen. 4s	99½	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	128
Atchison, Adj. 4s	87	N. P. 4s	102½
Atlantic C. L. 4s	93¾	N. P. 3s	70¾
B. & O. 4s	100½	N. & W. Con. 4s	97¾
B. & O. 3½s	92	Oregon S. L. 4s	90¾
Cen. of Ga. 5s	105½	Pa. Conv. 3½s	94¾
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	76	Reading Gen. 4s	96
C. & O. 4½s	102	St. L. & I. M. 5s	113¾
C. & A. 3½s	75	St. L. & S. F. 4s	80½
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	91	St. L., S. W. 1sts	93
C., M. & St. P. 4s	108¾	Seaboard A. L. 4s	65
C. & N. W. 7s	127¾	So. Pacific 4s	88½
C., R. I. & P. 4s	65¾	So. Railway 5s	111¾
C., R. I. & P. 5s	73¾	T. & P. 1sts	115
C., C., C. & St. L.	97½	T., St. L. & W.	68½
Chicago Ter. 4s	82	Union Pacific 4s	102¾
Con. Tob. 4s	55½	U. P. Conv. 4s	94½
Colo. & So. 4s	84¾	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	71¾
D. & R. G. 4s	97½	Wabash 1sts	115
Erie prior lien 4s	96¾	Wabash Deb. B.	59½
Erie Gen. 4s	84¾	W. & L. E. 4s	89
Fort Worth 1sts	104	Wis. Cen. 4s	89
Hock. Val. 4½s	105¼	C. F. & I. Con. 5s	73
L. & N. Un. 4s	98¾		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel	10¾
Call loans	4@4½	U. S. Steel pfd	55¾
Time loans	4½@5½	West'house Com.	75
Bonds—		Mining—	
Atchison Adj. 4s	87	Adventure	2
Atchison 4s	97¾	Allouez	3¾
Mex. Cen. 4s	63½	Amalgamated	47¾
Railroads—		American Zinc	7¾
Atchison	65½	Atlantic	7
Atchison pfd	88¾	Bingham	20
Boston & Albany	244	C. & Hecla	445@418
Boston & Maine	166¾	Centennial	17¼
Boston Elevated	137¾	Copper Range	39¼
Fitchburg pfd	136	Daly West	33¾
Mexican Central	9½	Dominion Coal	56½
N. Y. N. H. & H.	191	Franklin	8
Pere Marquette	77	Grancy	3¼
Union Pacific	73¾	Isle Royale	7
Miscellaneous—		Mass. Mining	3
Am. Arge. Chem.	13	Michigan	4½
Am. Pneu. Tube	4	Mohawk	34¾
Am. Sugar	124	Mont. Coal & C.	2¾
Am. Sugar pfd	123½	Old Dominion	10
Am. Tel. & Tel.	119½	Osceola	54
Am. Woolen	9½	Parrot	23
Am. Woolen pfd	69	Quincy	80
Dom. I. & S.	8¼	Shannon	7¾
Edison Elec. Illu.	233	Tamarack	90
Gen. Electric	167	Trinity	4¾
Mass. Electric	17¾	U. S. Mining	20½
Mass. Elec. pfd	72	U. S. Oil	8¾
Mass. Gas	38¼	Utah	32¾
United Fruit	96	Victoria	3
U. Shoe Mach.	48	Winona	5
U. Shoe M. pfd	28	Wolverine	70

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Tin was very weak in London, with spot £1 10s lower at £123 7s 6d, while futures declined £1 to £122 12s 6d. Tin here was more or less nominal, but held lower in sympathy. Spot is quoted nominal at 28.12½. Copper was unchanged in London, closing at £57 7s 6d for spot and £56 2s 6d for futures. Locally, copper is unchanged. Lake is held at 12.50@12.75; electrolytic and casting at 12.37½@12.62½. Lead was steady and unchanged, at £11 16s in London and at 4.56@4.60 in the local market. Spelter advanced 2s 6d to £21 17s 6d in London. Locally, it was unchanged at 5.00@5.10. Iron was unchanged.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKET.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Higher prices in the English grain markets imparted strength to wheat at the opening today. May started ⅛ to 1c higher, at 1.07@1.07¼, while July was ⅛c lower to ⅝c higher, at 96@96¾c. It was intimated in a private crop report that the weather in various parts of the country had been unfavorable to wheat, and this served to make the pit crowd rather nervous. Toward the end of the first hour, the selling was of such an influential character, that the price of May declined to 1.06¾ and July to 95c. As soon as the selling stopped, the market became stronger than before. Offerings became extremely light late in the session. Whether correct, or not, the belief gained ground that wheat supplies would be very limited before harvest. This, coupled with the alarm in foreign markets over what a spread of war may do, served to advance prices rapidly, until May had touched 1.09 and July sold up to 98¾c. Heavy liquidation occurred during the final few minutes of trading. The result was to suddenly carry prices downward, but the close was firm, with May at 1.07¾. July closed at 98¼c. The sentiment in the corn pit was somewhat mixed. The close was about steady at 57¾@57¾c for May. The feature of trading in oats was the heavy selling by one or two of the principal longs. May closed at 46¾c. There was a big general trade in provisions. The feature of the market was the buying of packers and the great scarcity of offerings. The close was strong. May pork gaining 32½c; lard up 10 to 12½c, and ribs 15c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
May	107¾
July	98¼
July (old)	99
September	92¾
September (old)	93¼
Corn, No. 2—	
February	53¾
May	54¾@54¾
July	55¾
September	54¾
Oats, No. 2—	
May	46¼
July	42¾
September	36¾

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 98@1.07; No. 3, 90@1.03; No. 2 red, 1.05¾@1.10; No. 2 corn, 54½; No. 2 yellow, 55½; No. 2 oats, 42; No. 2 white, 45½@46; No. 3 white, 43@45½; good feeding barley, 42@43; fair to choice malting, 48@58; No. 1 flax seed, 1.12; No. 1 northwestern, 1.18½; prime timothy seed, 3.10; mess pork, per bbl., 16.37½@16.50; lard, per 100 lbs., 7.87½@7.92½; short ribs, sides (loose,) 7.75@7.87½; short clear sides (boxed,) 7.87½@8.00; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.27; clover, contract grade, 11.25.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	36,300	41,100
Wheat, bushels	56,800	54,900
Corn, "	291,300	82,800
Oats, "	391,400	153,900
Rye, "	10,000	4,200
Barley, "	148,100	19,200

Dairy Market.

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 14@26; dairy, 13½@22; eggs, weak, 20½@21; cheese, strong, 10½@11¼.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The market for evaporated apples is quiet and unchanged: common, 4@5c; prime, 5¼@5½c; choice, 5½@6c; fancy, 6½@7c. Prunes are firm, at from 3½@4½c, according to grade. Apricots are rather scarce and rule firm, with choice quoted at 9¾@10c; extra choice at 10¼@10½c, and fancy at 12@15c. Peaches are moving in larger quantities; choice, 7¼@7¾c; extra choice, 7¾@8¼c; fancy, 9@10c.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Close: Wheat—May, 1.07¾; July, 98¼c; old, 99c; September, 92¾c, old, 93¼c. Corn—February, 53¾c; May, 57¾@57¾c; July, 55¾c; September, 54¾c. Oats—May, 46¼c; July, 42¾c; September, 36¾c. Rye—February, 76c; May, 77½c. Flax, cash, northwestern, 1.18½. Timothy, February, 3.10. Clover, February, 11.25. Barley, cash, 40@58c.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Wheat, spot stronger; options closed strong at best. May closed at 1.07¾; July, 1.03; September, 95¾c. Hops, hides and wool firm. Coffee, spot Rio steady, mild steady. Sugar, raw firm; refined steady.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Sugar, raw firm: fair refining, 2¾c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 2¾c; refined, steady; crushed, 5.15; powdered, 4.50; granulated, 4.45; Coffee, steady; No. 7 Rio, 6¾c.

Coffee Options.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Closing coffee: March, 5.45@5.50; May, 5.75@5.75; sales, 143,500 bags.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25.—Close: Wheat—March, 6s 11¾d; May, 6s 10¾d; July, 6s 10¾d.

Chicago Live-Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 9000; market slow; good to prime steers, 4.90@5.75; poor to medium, 3.50@4.80; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.40; cows, 1.25@4.25; heifers, 2.00@4.50; canners, 1.75@2.50; bulls, 2.00@4.00; calves, 3.50@6.00. Hogs—Receipts today, 35,000; tomorrow, 25,000; strong, 5c higher; mixed and butchers', 5.20@5.60; good to choice heavy, 5.60@5.70; rough heavy, 5.25@5.55; light, 4.80@5.35; bulk of sales, 5.30@5.40. Sheep—Receipts, 1500; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, 4.25@4.40; fair to choice mixed, 3.60@4.45; western sheep, 3.25@4.65; native lambs, 4.50@5.75; western lambs, 4.75@5.85.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

GRAIN, FRUIT AND PRODUCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Conditions were a shade better in the fruit market today, as the result of brighter and milder weather. Oranges met with fairly liberal call, the principal movement being in large navels, which were closely cleaned up at or near maximum quotations. Holders of fresh lines of medium-sized stock had little difficulty in caring for their offerings at inside rate, and business closed with the bulk of the oversupply odd sizes. For today's auction, about five carloads are announced. There are plenty of oranges en route to this market, and should mild temperature prevail for the next few days, good trade at steady prices is predicted. Tangerines continued in oversupply and cheap, while grape fruit was fairly steady at revised figures. Limes and lemons were as last quoted, the former ruling firm under scant supply, while the latter were more or less easy in price, with free supply. A firm market prevailed for all prime grades of potatoes, and existing conditions still strongly favored the selling element. Buyers operated most cautiously, limiting their orders to absolute needs, but with receipts light and offerings scant, the undertone continued one of marked firmness. Onions were held firmly at recent advance, although buyers restricted their purchases to the narrowest limits. Sweet potatoes were firm at prevailing prices. General offerings of miscellaneous kinds of vegetables were rather heavier, and the market was somewhat easier. Southern descriptions arrived more freely and lower prices prevailed for both peas and beans, outside rates being extremes for extra-quality offerings. While as high as 1.75 was still quoted for tomatoes, it was an exceptional rate, good stock being obtainable with $1.50 as the extreme. Asparagus was in free supply, but was well cared for at sharply-reduced prices.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.80@5.05; bakers' extras, 4.75@5.00; Oregon and Washington, —.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.41¼@1.42½; milling, 1.45@1.57½.

Barley—Feed, 1.12½@1.13¾; brewing, 1.17½@1.20; Chevalier, 1.20@1.40.

Oats—Red, 1.30@1.35; white, 1.27½@1.40; black, nominal.

Middlings—26.00@28.00; mixed feed, 22.00@23.00; rolled barley, 24.00@25.00.

Hay—Wheat, 16.00@18.50; wheat and oats, 16.00@18.00; barley hay, —; clover, 13.00@14.50; alfalfa, 13.00@14.00; straw, 60@75.

Onions—Fancy, 3.00; common, 2.60.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.00; common apples, 40; pears, common, —; fancy, —; pomegranates, —; quinces, —; grapes, ordinary, —; persimmons, —.

Berries—Strawberries, —; raspberries, —; cranberries, —.

Citrus fruit—Navels, 50@2.50; Valencias, —; seedlings, 50@1.00; Mexican limes, 6.00@6.50; California lemons, common, 75; fancy, 2.50; Japanese Mandarins, —.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.50; pineapples, 1.50@2.50.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 25; seconds, 23½; fancy dairy, 22; seconds, 20.

Cheese—New, —; eastern, 15@18; Young America, 11@12.

Eggs—Eastern, —; ranch, 22@23; store, 20@22.

Beans—Pink, 3.00@3.20; Lima, 3.25@3.31; small white, 2.90@3.10; large white, 2.50@2.60.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.20@1.50; River Burbanks, 1.00@1.20; Merced sweets, 2.25@2.40; new potatoes, 1.50@2.00; Salinas Burbanks, 1.40@1.65.

Various—Green peas, 4@7; string beans, 10@17½; egg plant, 20@30; green peppers, 25@30; tomatoes, 75@1.50; summer squash, 1.00@1.50; dried okra, —; asparagus, 12½@25; rhubarb, 10@12½; garlic, 5@6; cucumbers, —; Mexican tomatoes, —; mushrooms, 20@1.00.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 15@17; dressed turkeys, 18@21; roosters, old, 5.50@6.00; roosters, young, 6.50@7.50; broilers, small, 4.50@5.00; broilers, large, 5.00@5.50; fryers, 6.00@6.50; hens, 5.50@7.50; ducks, old, 5.50@6.50; ducks, young, 6.50@7.50; geese, 2.00@2.25; goslings, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 2.25@2.50.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Andes	49	Mexican	190
Belcher	22	Occidental Con	59
Best & Belcher	130	Ophir	470
Caledonia	86	Overman	31
Challenge Con	24	Potosi	16
Chollar	18	Savage	53
Confidence	105	Seg. Belcher	7
Con. Cal. & Va.	165	Sierra Nevada	51
Con. Imperial	2	Silver Hill	68
Crown Point	22	Union Con	86
Gould & Curry	42	Utah Con	21
Hale & Norcross	97	Yellow Jacket	45
Justice	6		

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Close: Wheat, steady; May, 1.48¾; December, 1.00. Barley, steady; May, 1.10¾; December, 1.05¾ bid. Corn, large yellow, 1.35@1.40. Bran, 20.00@21.00.

California Oil Exchange.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—California Stock and Oil Exchange, morning session: One hundred and eleven Claremont, .50.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Silver bars, 57¾; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts—sight, 12½; telegraph, 15.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Flour, quarter sacks, 13,750; wheat, centals, 1565; barley, centals, 710; beans, sacks, 2867; corn, centals, 1295; potatoes, sacks, 3987; onions, sacks, 505; bran, sacks, 915; middlings, sacks, 110; hay, tons, 523; straw, tons, 6; hides, number, 309; wine, gallons, 102,809.

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BRITISH DISCUSS INCIDENTS OF WAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Premier Balfour had sufficiently recovered his health to come from Brighton to this city today to preside at a cabinet meeting at noon. Prior to the meeting, the French Ambassador, M. Cambon, called at the Foreign Office and had an hour's talk with Foreign Secretary Lansdowne. The Ambassador returned here from Paris yesterday evening, and apart from an exchange of views in regard to the most recent developments of the war, on which subject the two cabinets are keeping in the closest touch with each other, there is good reason to believe that a settlement of all matters in dispute between France and Great Britain is on the eve of being arranged. Such questions as Egypt, Morocco, Newfoundland, etc., have been fully discussed by the two governments for some months, and the differences are being gradually eliminated, until practically nothing remains to prevent an early signature of a treaty removing all outstanding obstacles to a complete accord between the two powers.

BALFOUR IN THE HOUSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Premier Balfour, who on his first appearance today in the House of Commons, since his illness, was greeted with warm applause, replying to a question, confirmed the statement made in these dispatches February 20 that there was no truth in the reports that Great Britain intended to seize certain ports on the Spanish coast in the event of a continental war.

Asked by what authority it was proposed to detain at Ceylon the 325 Russian sailors rescued after the fight off Chemulpo, Premier Balfour said the sailors had sought refuge on a British warship. Under the circumstances and until other arrangements had been agreed upon, the government thought it would be best fulfilling the obligation of neutrality by holding the men in British territory until the close of the war. The Japanese government, however, had intimated that it was willing that the sailors should return to Russia on giving their parole not to participate during the rest of the war. The British government was now in correspondence with Russia, with the view of settling the question on this basis.

GERMAN ADVANTAGES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today, the Under Foreign Secretary, Earl Percy, said the government was not aware of any negotiations between Germany and Russia whereby, as announced in some newspapers, in return for Germany affording Russia certain advantages during the war, Russia would support Germany in regard to the Bagdad railroad question and a general extension of German predominance in Asia Minor.

NOT HELD FOR INDIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The War Office tells the Associated Press that there is no truth whatever in the rumor published yesterday by the Manchester Dispatch that the First (British) Army Corps had been ordered to hold itself in readiness to depart for India within a few days.

HERO ON DIRT WAGON.

Guides Runaway Team With Broken Reins, Saves Lives, and Will Accept No Reward.

The heroic action of James La Velle, a driver for Contractor Charles Stansbury, yesterday afternoon during a runaway on Broadway, saved human life. After it was all over the young man tried to slip away. He was stopped and a score or more of persons tried to reward him. He refused money, and said he had done only his duty. Many persons asserted afterward that the young man should receive public acknowledgment of his bravery.

At the south end of the Broadway tunnel, at the top of the Broadway hill, the harness on the team of young horses La Velle was driving broke, and they dashed down the hill, dragging the heavy dirt wagon. One of the reins broke, and the driver climbed down upon the doubletrees and grasped the end of the broken rein. Steadying himself against the footboard, he remained at his post, calling to those in front to get out of the way. A driver of a sewing machine wagon saw the runaways approaching, and jumped from his seat and ran into a hallway. His horse ran, but was stopped by A. B. Smith of No. 1220 Georgia street, who pursued on his bicycle.

Down a crowded street, guiding his frightened team with broken reins, the horses running as fast as they could go, La Velle went. Street cars and vehicles were dodged, and not a rig was touched. Near Sixth and Broadway the runaways were caught in a pocket formed by other teams and stopped. Then La Velle tried to drive back by another street.

TUBING THRUST UP.

Workman in Sunset District Nearly Smothered by Oil from Pipe Thrown High in Air.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 25.—In opening the Shafter well on the property of the California and Sedalia lease at Sunset several workmen had a narrow escape from injury a few days ago. The well had been flowing a long time, but owing to the accumulation of sand, the output of oil was diminished. Superintendent Gordon suggested that the tubing be loosened, hoping that that would result in an increased production. The work had scarcely begun when the tubing—about 200 feet of it—was thrown out with terrific force, the string going through the top of the derrick tearing away the crown block and barely missing one of the workmen who was near the top of the frame. The flow soon decreased to the usual volume. The workman was meantime nearly smothered with oil, which covered him completely.

The United States Oil Company which is drilling on the northwest quarter of section 6 at McKittrick, is reported to have penetrated a fine oil sand in the well. The property is at a distance from what is generally considered the proven teritory of the McKittrick field. The well is only down 700 feet.

The California Fortune Company, operating in the northern part of the Sunset field, is nearing the completion of another good producer. This company has been fortunate in its development work and has several good wells.

The Petroleum Development Company, the Santa Fé's oil corporation, is about to begin drilling seven new wells on its property on section 24, at Kern River. The material for this work is on the ground or en route.

SOUGHT DEATH; FOUND DEATH.

John Habstritt, aged about 40, was taken to the Receiving Hospital at 2 o'clock this morning from his room in a lodging house at No. 135 South Main street, and while being carried into the hospital he expired. The man's home was at Prescott (Ariz.) and he came here ten weeks ago to secure medical attendance. Early this morning E. D. Smith, a carpenter who rooms in the same house, found Habstritt almost unconscious, and placing him in a coupé took him to the Police Station, but he was practically dead when he was placed on the cot in the hospital.

Union's Treasurer Missing.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Walter A. Dawson of Brooklyn, 53 years of age, treasurer of the New York Housesmiths' Union, has been missing from his home since Tuesday and the police have been requested by counsel for the union to send out a general alarm to this effect. Before his disappearance, Dawson had on his person about $4000 belonging to the union.

Bryan Gets No Bid.

JACKSON (Miss.) Feb. 25.—The Lower House of the Mississippi Legislature today voted down almost unanimously a resolution to invite W. J. Bryan to address the legislature.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

THURSDAY, Feb. 25, 1904.

M J Shaul and R A Shaul to Frank P Cox, lot 11, block 2, Atlantic avenue tract, $125.

J S Harshman and Elizabeth Harshman to Louis Schilling, part lots 33 and 34, Witherow tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Harvey G Cauldwell, reconveyance of trust property.

T B Provont and Susie Provont to Charles M Hutchison, part lot 9, block F, Pickering Land and Water Company's subdivision, $10.

Elizabeth H Olcott to William A Woodland, part lot 70, Wilson tract, $450.

Ottilie L Walter and Charles J Walter to E B Pierce, lot 38, block 2, Wadsworth & Hollister tract, $10.

Angela L Anderson Nesmith, formerly Angela L Anderson, to David Hare, lots 2 and 4, block 66, Long Beach, $10.

Fred H Jewell and Mattie A Jewell to John D Jewell, lot 31, block A, Hammell's subdivision, $10.

Henry V Hoffman to Stewart Carson, part lot 12, block 111, Pomona, W J Kessler's subdivision, $60.

Mrs L C Peckham to Edward C Fruhling, lot 46, Bonito tract, $10.

Wesley Wright and Carrie Wright to Mary M Osgood, part lot 24, Hazard's subdivision, lot 14, Griffin's addition, $1650.

F G Calkins and Rosamond A Calkins to Dida I Hubbard, lot 4, block E, Bliss tract, $10.

P P Huston and Septima B Huston to Emma T Dillon, lot 48, Huston tract, $200.

W H Pier to Isaac Saylin, lots 16 and 17, Craig tract, $10.

D S Shaw and Louise R Shaw to county of Los Angeles, part lots 2 and 3, block G, Alamitos tract, $10.

John M Johnston, trustee, to Emil F G Holtz, lot 20, block C, Main-street tract, $2.

Sarah R Lincoln and John W Lincoln to Christina Thompson, lots 7 and 8, block C, Ocean Spray tract, $10.

Ben Benson and Sophia Benson to Samuel Parkinson, lot 10, block A, Menlo Park, $2000.

Pacific Land Company to John F Mallory, lots 2 and 3, block 36, Pacific Farms tract, $850.

C Albert Rockwell and Elide E Rockwell to Ada F Waddell, lot 3, block 19, C V Hall tract, $10.

Alamitos Land Company to Edward W Childs, lot 1, block 105, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Same to Edward W Childs, lots 10, 11, 13 to 18, block 15, Alamitos tract, $10.

Alamitos Land Company to Edward W Childs, lots 10, 12 to 18, block 129; lots 14, 15, 17 and 18, block 130; lots 11 to 15, block 131; lots 12 to 18, block 132; lots 1, 9 and 8, block 104; lot 9, block 102, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Hattie L Rogers to Evan Hope, part rancho Paso de Bartolo, $200.

J K Urmston and Alma S Urmston to Suzanne Durnerin, lots 8 and 9, block 101, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Eulalie Grass and Joseph F Grass to P B Dreiser, lot 6, L A View tract, $10.

William Baldwin Stewart to Sylvester L De Tar and Berneice B De Tar, part lot A, Normal tract, $3000.

Lida J Fountain to Mary L Courtney, lot 25, Sylvanus White tract, $2250.

Pacific Land Company to Elijah H Thornbrue and Martha E Thornbrue, lots 2 and 3, block 41, Pacific Farms tract, $250.

Pacific Land Company to William H Leslie and Ida M Leslie, lot 14, block K, Barrett Villa tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to M Edith Henley, reconveyance of trust property.

Caroline Walkley to Henry Harrison Markham, lots 20, 21, 22 and part lot 19, H H Markham tract; lots 4 and 5, and part lot 3, Boettcher & Forster's subdivision, $10.

Henry H Markham and Mary Markham to Caroline Walkley, lot 3, H H Markham tract, $10.

Bridget Gustafson to Charles Kalep, lot 15, Peck's subdivision block 56, San Pedro, $650.

Stephen Townsend and Anna M Townsend to E H Ham, part lot 11, Pine avenue tract, $200.

Charles C Shepardson and Minnie Alice Shepardson to Sadie C Parsons, lot 17, block K, Morris Vineyard subdivision, $10.

Long Beach Land and Water Company to Samuel Thomas Coy and Belle Coy, part lot 156, American Colony tract, $1.

Estate of Andrew Glassell, deceased, decree of partial distribution to William T Glassell, lot 2, block 14, subdivision of lot 2, block 39, H S.

Joseph H Whitington and Mary V Whittington to Alfred James, lot 20, block 4, subdivision of part lots 5 and 6, block 40, City Donation lots, $500.

Harland Fawcett and Anna L Fawcett to Etta Conner Travis, part lots 18 and 19, block 7, Brooklyn Heights Ganahl tract, $10.

Margaret A Wilson to O B Carter, undivided one-quarter interest in lot 5, block K, Pellissier tract, $10.

Sarah A Houston and John Houston to Nancy Davee, lots 6, 7 and 8, block 84, Santa Fe Springs, $700.

Estate of E Y Campbell, deceased, decree distributing to Henderson Y Campbell part lots 45, 46 and 47, block 1, Highland View tract.

Estate of Maria de Durazo, deceased, decree of distribution to L D Durazo, S Durazo, Mary Protty and Mrs S Finly, lot 29, Bonita tract.

Seymour S Vaughn and Mary F Vaughn to Carrie F Brady, part lot 10, William P Forsyth's resubdivision, $10.

M J Shaul and R A Shaul to V J Scherb, lot 16, block 1, Atlantic avenue tract, $125.

Pacific Land Company to Charles Gross, lot 15, block 1, Rendini tract, $225.

George W Wilson and Anna E Wilson to Adolph J Petter and Emilie L Petter, lots 3 and 10, Parkdale Heights, $10.

Alice C Crutchfield and David Crutchfield to Michael Mencer, lot 11, subdivision of P I Brannen tract, $10.

Margaret J Petty and John Marshall Petty to Maggie Eaton, lot 39, block 1, Meadow Glen tract, $325.

Julia A Ivers to S W Dyer, lot 25, block 22, Elysian Heights, $10.

Julia A Ivers and John S Maltman to Alix Pomeroy, lots 13 and 14, block 12, Childs Heights, $10.

Daniel Innes and Sarah K Innes to Maud May Pope, lot 14, block 24, Angeleno Heights, $1200.

Maud May Pope to Thomas J Lewis, lot 14, block 24, Angeleno Heights, $10.

Charles Ence Roe to W P Jeffries, lot 18, block 16, Inglewood, $10.

Mattie W Hughes to W A Vawter, lots 487 and 488, San Dimas, $10.

James A Johnstone and E S Johnstone to Karl Rees, lots 224 and 226, San Dimas, $200.

Elizabeth D Palmer to John Engelbert, lots 12 and 13, block 19, Angeleno Heights, $10.

Estate of W G Kriegbaum, certificate of redemption lots 1½ and 17, block 85, Howard, formerly Rosecrans.

B F Ball to heirs of Thomas Banberry, deceased, 1-3 interest in sec 17, 7 N 13, $10.

H A Landwher and F Maude Landwher to Willard B Swank, part lots 10 and 11, Heyman tract, $10.

D J Boynton to Anna K Bates, lot 6, block 3, Golden Bay tract, $10.

D W Field, administrator of estate of Gertrude M Wensel, also known as Boehnke, deceased, to W Chapman, lot 18, block 9, Lancaster, $15.

Fordyce Grinnell and Elizabeth Grinnell to Martha A Turner, part of replat lots 1 to 4 and 22 to 26, of Smith James tract, $10.

B J Madsen to Ida Madsen, commencing on west line of Avenue 19, 60 feet from southwest corner of Avenue 19 and Mozart street, southwest 209 feet to point, etc, $10.

Charlotte E Fitch vs S O Houghton, Joseph H Johnson, J J Wilkins, J F Towell, A M Stephens, H C Lee, Thomas L Winder, William W Stephens, Gregory Perkins, Jr, and M S Severance, individually and as trustees for creditors, stockholders and members of St Paul's School of County of Los Angeles, State of California; William H Harrison, administrator of estate of George Fitch, deceased, and William Hayes, decree quieting title in plaintiff, part lot 8, Galpin tract.

Tessie Brownstein to Mrs Mary McDowell, lot 20, block 7, East Los Angeles, $10.

H R Whitaker to E A Beardslee, lot 7, block 4, subdivision of parts of lots 5 and 6, block 40, City Donation lots, $10.

Adam C Hogaboom to J Birdiene Hogaboom, part lot 33, Eleventh-street block, $10.

Nettie A Pittenger and M R Pittenger to Ethel Burgess, lot 10, Holly tract.

A R Frazer, G M Jones and H R Gage to Henry E Lavayea, part lot 345, block 9, Golden Bay tract, $650.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Andrew N Jung, successor in interest to Emma D Brady, reconveyance of trust property.

I N Van Nuys and S H Van Nuys to Elizabeth G Bannard, lots 1 to 50, block 105, East San Gabriel, $10.

Robert L Brown and Cordelia Brown to Robert Cunningham and Lillie Cunningham, lot 8, Garbutt tract, $10.

J H Braly and Martha J Braly to Samuel Mallery, lot 5, block C, Ocean Spray tract, $10.

J R Millard to Clarence B Allen, lot 13, Aurora tract, $1000.

E M Nicklin to H L Moss, lot 109, Dalton Orchard Grove tract, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to F M Squire, lot 21, block 1, Hermosa Beach, $10.

N P Campbell to William T Glassell, lot 3, block 14, subdivision of lot 2, block 39, Hancock's survey, $1.

Daisy Fuller, first party, to Ortus B Fuller, second party; first party releases all claims to any property now or hereafter acquired by second party; second party grants to first party certain rights in Riverside county; lot 16, Merriam, Marsh & Gardiner's subdivision.

Betsey W Frazier to C Clemma Wilson, lot 1, Frazier's subdivision part Alamitos tract, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Long Beach Methodist Resort Association to Robert L White, lots 5 and 7, block 73, Long Beach, $1600.

J H Talbot to H W Wadesworth, lot 4, Nathan Varney's subdivision, Long Beach, $1500.

John Andrews and Hattie Andrews to Henry W Wadesworth, lots 5 and 7, Robinson & Brainard's subdivision block 20, Long Beach, $450.

Seaside Water Company, Broadway Bank and Trust Company, trustee, to Elizabeth Townsend, lot 13, block 1, Knoll Park tract, $10. Said trustee joins to release as usual.

John Montgomery to Jacoba T Montgomery, lot 3, Bassett tract, gift.

Mrs M J Jackson and E J Jackson to Armstead Clark and Nellie Clark, lots 3 to 6, block 3, Davis's Addition to Duarte, $1.

Howard M Baird to Robert Fairley, lots 4, 5 and 6, C C Johnson's subdivision, $10.

William H Kelso and Almina C Kelso to J H Threas, lots 18 and 19, block 305, Inglewood, $650.

John B Brokaw and Ida H Brokaw to Anton Larson, agreement to convey part lots 14 and 15, Brokaw tract No 2, $650.

Pickering Land and Water Company to C E Bates, lots 23 and 24, block 7, Whittier, $650.

Milton D Painter and Mary E Painter to Henry Wolke, lot 1, block E, M D Painter's subdivision Painter & Ball tract, $10.

Sarah M Northcote and Ernest Northcote to Della Weston, agreement to convey part sec 27, 2 S 13, $2300.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Mrs Mary Quirey, lot 241, Edendale tract, $125.

Union Trust and Realty Company to C Albert Rockwell, reconveyance of lots 5 and 6, block 19, C V Hall tract.

Union Trust and Realty Company to Will P W Martin, reconveyance of lot 8, block 12, C V Hall tract.

W S Bartlett and W E McVay to Peter Roscha, successor in interest to Cyrus Wheeler and Etheiene M Wheeler, reconveyance of trust property.

Oliver P Gould and Mary C Gould to county of Los Angeles, part lot 25, Dr R K Janes's subdivision, $1.

James C Lewis and Lillie M Lewis to Hugh Harvey and Margaret S Harvey, lots 23 and 24, block B, Strong & Dickinson South Park tract, $10.

J W A Off and Blanche B Off to Edgar J Wildey, lots 6, 7 and 8, block 2, replat of part of J W A Off tract, $10.

Mary Zacharias (formerly Mary Rhodes) to W B Judson, part lot 5, block 42, Ord's survey, $150.

Total, $29,335.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fernberger, Philadelphia; Mrs. M. L. Flinn, Sioux City; E. J. Brown and wife, Cleveland; Mrs. M. S. Ackerman, Raymond; H. J. Saalfield and wife, Akron, O.; W. H. Hamilton, San Francisco; Mrs. C. W. Hamilton, Miss Stella Hamilton, Mae Louise Hamilton, Mrs. L. B. Cumming, Omaha; Mrs. S. A. Garrett, Miss Marian Young, Boston; John Miller, Mrs. John Miller, Miss F. J. Miller, Washington, D. C.; Harvey L. Walker, Erie; J. Thomas Moore, Philadelphia; George Kraus, Jake Joseph, D. L. Lieberger, New York; George Reinach and wife, Tampa; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jahns, Milwaukee; N. M. Bauer and wife, Chicago; Otto Lebinne, San Francisco; G. H. Risley, Mrs. Risley, Mrs. D. H. Morey, New York; Alex. H. Findlay, Boston; O. B. Gilson, Ogden; Harry Beardsley, New York; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stearns, Portland; A. M. Krakauer and wife, Chihuahua; R. I. Tobin, Mrs. J. O'Brien, San Francisco; C. B. Knights, wife and daughter, Chicago; Misses Biddle, Mrs. Daniel Sayre, Montrose, Pa.; George Muirhead, Chicago; W. C. Nevin, A. L. Nevin, Denver; E. P. Foster, Ventura; M. B. Robinson, Denver; C. C. Crow and wife, Jefferson City, Mo.; H. L. Jenkins and wife, Minneapolis; A. V. Barker, Ebensberg; R. C. Campbell, Chicago; E. A. Stahlbrodt, Rochester; F. B. Hober and wife, Toledo; J. Keane and wife, Chicago; C. N. Brush and wife, Boston; A. Reid and wife, Norwich; Mrs. H. B. Peck, Kalamazoo, Mich.; H. A. Hamilton and wife, Miss A. L. Rubertin, Miss N. Walker, Dover; E. J. Beckwith, Denver; A. M. Coghlin, Toledo; A. C. Kuhn, Charles Kuhn, San Jose.

VAN NUYS—Charles A. Hart, Colorado Springs; Edward A. Uhrig, Alexander Uhrig, Milwaukee; S. C. McNaughton, Miss McNaughton, Jersey City; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Kackley and maid, Indianapolis; George C. Ginther and wife, Buffalo, N. Y.; Charles McKnight, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Perry, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Perkins, Yuma; J. D. Lewis and wife, Chicago; Miss Mary Schmulbach, Henry Schmulbach, Wheeling, W. Va.; F. A. Gaylord and wife, Boston; H. A. Jastro, Bakersfield; W. Crawford, New York; Charles P. Grimwood, C. R. McCormick, San Francisco; Robert Grant, Utah; A. S. Saalfield and wife, Akron, O.; H. H. Jones, Chicago; S. Porter, R. R. Ritchie, San Francisco; O. H. MacRae, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. R. O'Brien, San Francisco; C. A. Carne, Chicago; Mrs. C. W. Beaver, Miss Ethel Beaver, San Francisco; John Glass, Chicago; F. A. Frick and wife, San Francisco; George Davies and wife, Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Daniel Layne, the Misses Biddle, Montrose, Pa.; Fred Gardner, Mrs. A. W. Kempe, Mrs. A. A. Strom, Miss Esther Strom, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Weil, Melaine and Dorothy Weil, Chicago; R. J. Tobin, San Francisco.

WESTMINSTER—F. Morrison, Mrs. Morrison, Portland, Or.; B. W. Lindsey, Denver; R. Gallegor, Jr., San Francisco; H. H. Allen, Mrs. Allen, Chicago; J. E. Bell, Everett, Mass.; Maj. Pickett, W. S. Cross, Mrs. Cross, Boston; S. Crooney, San Francisco; W. Y. Miller, Mrs. Miller, Chicago; J. Rawle, Miss E. Rawle, Mrs. L. Rawle, E. P. Rawle, Philadelphia; J. G. Wylie, Mrs. Wylie, Saginaw, Mich.; H. Stewart, Denver; J. Cormack, Mrs. Cormack and son, Miss L. Low, Mrs. C. B. Adams, J. Glass, Chicago; A. Herimholz, Milwaukee; C. J. Lapman, Mrs. Lapman, Miss L. Lapman, C. J. Lapman, Mrs. Lapman, Detroit; E. S. De Wolfe, R. B. Woodward, San Francisco; O. Brown, Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. H. I. Puffs, Philadelphia; F. L. Walker, Boston; T. W. Rogers, New York; I. H. Goodnow, New York; L. P. Ross, Mrs. Ross, Rochester; Miss S. F. Brown, Boston; Mrs. J. G. Lyner, Denver; Mrs. C. Sebree, Miss Sebree, New York; C. J. Vauhn, A. C. Vauhn, San Jose; C. B. Adams and son, Mrs. Adams, Iowa; Stanley L. Buck, Mrs. Buck, Philadelphia.

HOLLENBECK—John M. Lewis, J. A. Wagner, J. Hess, J. M. Shawhan, James Thieben, F. Du Bois, H. L. Enpinger, W. J. McKee, W. H. Groat, W. S. Murkosh, H. C. Stover, A. W. Bradburg, W. P. McLain, N. S. Latz, A. Count, H. H. Burness, J. C. Ninder, San Francisco; A. E. Sathren, A. J. Burns, H. D. Moorhouse, S. N. Butlers, Mrs. A. M. Becker, W. N. Lott, W. W. Watkins, Chicago; Mrs. E. A. Bullis, M. O. Eckerson, C. H. Schlicker, William Pine and wife, Joseph Hoar and wife, George Kraus, Jake Joseph, D. J. Lisburger, F. A. Wahl, H. M. Harrison and wife, W. J. Weppner, Mrs. J. Fisher, Miss Hattie Fisher, Miss Ida Fisher, E. C. Rowe, W. G. Branham, New York City; Mrs. F. E. Van Watts and daughter, Mrs. B. Wyethe and maid, William Weir, St. Joseph; O. Steinle, C. Steinle, Fremont; Sam Wolff, F. P. Hergrave, Salt Lake City; Dr. Graves, San Diego; D. C. Russell, Seattle; J. F. Gilmore and wife, Kalamazoo; T. S. Glaff and wife, Galesburg; O. F. Kuencer, Kingman; W. H. Rogsterth, Fort Wayne; H. W. Emerson, Rockford; E. F. Newill, Des Moines; G. L. Becker, Ogden; M. C. Chestnut, Phoenix; L. H. Buchanon, Madison; D. E. Francisco, Middletown, N. Y.; Charles K. McCaffrey and wife, Houston, Pa.; Mrs. S. F. Hoagland, Effingham; E. M. Hager and wife, A. Kraus and wife, Buffalo, N. Y.; I. L. Sumels and sister, Red Rock, Ariz.; W. M. Holliday and wife, Bellevue, O.; Mrs. Ed Dunn, Tucson; Charles F. Hills, Jamestown; A. L. King, Manchester; Mrs. H. G. Taylor, Philadelphia; N. W. Durham, Spokane, B. F. Wright, Charles City; R. E. Lemon, Brentwood; W. M. Gilmartin, U.S.A.; Leo Brock, Manvel; George M. Blake and wife, Rockford; C. L. Uerswell, Eureka; L. R. Alford, Louisville; Robert Curran, Santa Barbara.

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ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, FEB. 25.

There were no arrivals today.

SAILED—THURSDAY, FEB. 25.

Steamer Olympic, Capt. Hansen, for Fairhaven via San Francisco.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

THURSDAY, FEB. 25.

Steamer Alcatraz, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Steamer San Gabriel, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Ship Bangalore, anchored, Outer Harbor.
Schooner William Nottingham, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Mary Dodge, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Eric, Baxter Lumber Co. wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer W. H. Kruger, from Eureka via San Francisco.
Steamer Samoa, from Caspar via San Francisco.
Steamer Chehalis, from Aberdeen via San Francisco.
Steamer Prentiss, from Portland via San Francisco.
Steamer Brooklyn, from Fort Bragg, via San Francisco.
British bark Hawthornbank, from Antwerp.
Barkentine Robert Sudden, from Tacoma.
Barkentine Arago, from Willapa Harbor.
Barkentine J. M. Griffith, from Port Hadlock.
Barkentine Quickstep, from Tacoma.
Barkentine Robert Sudden, from Tacoma.
Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Lottie Bennett, from Everett.
Schooner Comet, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Sausalito, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Resolute, from Bellingham.
Schooner Endeavor, from Everett.
Schooner Fearless, from Billingham.
Schooner S. F. Alexander, from Tacoma.
Schooner Mabel Gale, from Portland.
Schooner J. M. Coleman, from Tacoma.
Schooner A. B. Johnson from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Excelsior, from Willapa.
Schooner Dauntless, from Gray's Harbor.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Redondo, Eureka.
Steamer Pasadena, Eureka.
Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.
Bark Reaper, Tacoma.
Barkentine Retriever, Port Hadlock.
Barkentine Addenda, South Bend.
Barkentine W. R. Hume, Ballard.
Barkentine Flickinger, Astoria.
Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.
Barkentine J. L. Eviston, Tacoma.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Ballard.
Schooner Balboa, Winslow.
Schooner Luzon, Tacoma.
Schooner Espada, Aberdeen.
Schooner Susie Plummer, Tacoma.
Schooner Annie Larsen, Tacoma.
Schooner W. H. Smith, Anacortes.
Schooner Manila, Everett.
Schooner Ethel Zane, Ballard.
Schooner Mauweena, Ballard.
Schooner King Cyrus, Tacoma.
Schooner Stimson, Ballard.
Schooner H. D. Bendixen, Aberdeen.
Schooner R. C. Slade, Aberdeen.
Schooner Charles E. Falk, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Dora Bluhm, Eureka.
Schooner Sehome, Everett.
Schooner William F. Witzman, Astoria.
Schooner Ludlow, Port Hadlock.
Schooner Falcon, Aberdeen.
Schooner C. F. Holmes, Tacoma.
Schooner Wawona, South Bend.
Schooner Mindora, Port Townsend.
Schooner Muriel, Port Townsend.
Schooner Winslow, Everett.
Schooner Beulah, Umpqua.
Schooner Salvator, Everett.
Schooner Alpha, Coquille River.
Schooner Bertha Dolbeer, Eureka.
Schooner Fannie Dutard, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Irene, Tacoma.
Schooner John C. Meyers, Everett.
Schooner O. M. Kellogg, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Olga, Tacoma.
Schooner Soquel, Olympia.
Schooner Salvator, Everett.
Schooner Soquel, Olympia.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

TO LEAVE—FRIDAY, FEB. 26.

Schooner William H. Nottingham, Capt. Ross, for Tacoma in ballast.

Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Carlson, for Point Arena.

SATURDAY, Feb. 27.—Steamer San Gabriel, Capt. Hamilton, for Eureka via San Francisco.

SUNDAY, Feb. 28.—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Gielow, for San Francisco and way ports.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, FEB. 25.

Launch Fashion from Long Beach with pleasure party.
Launch Columbia, Capt. Mascalo, from Point Dume with 1500 pounds barracuda.
Launch Borcich, Capt. Borcich, from Clemente with 400 pounds barracuda.
Sloop Alpha from Catalina with sardines for California Fish Company.
Launch Vittoria, Capt. Falconi, from Clemente.
Launch Petrel from Long Beach.

SAILED.

Launch Fashion for Long Beach.
Launch Petrel for Long Beach.
Ten sailboats for fishing banks and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

	High.	Low.
Friday, Feb. 26	5:21 a.m.	12:11 p.m.
	6:30 p.m.	11:41 p.m.
Saturday, " 27	6:18 a.m.	1:01 p.m.
	7:18 p.m.	
Sunday, " 28	7:09 a.m.	12:33 a.m.
	8:01 p.m.	1:45 p.m.
Monday, " 29	7:54 a.m.	1:24 a.m.
	8:40 p.m.	2:27 p.m.
Tuesday, March 1	8:41 a.m.	2:10 a.m.
	9:20 a.m.	3:16 p.m.
Wednesday, " 2	9:25 a.m.	2:54 a.m.
	9:59 a.m.	3:44 p.m.
Thursday, " 3	10:08 a.m.	3:29 a.m.
	12:00 m.	4:21 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 12 miles.

The schooner Eric, which arrived late last night from Ballard, brought 700,000 feet of lumber for the Baxter Lumber Company.

The steamer Olympic finished discharging her cargo of lumber and cleared for San Francisco with freight and passengers.

Capt. W. P. Day, formerly in command of the United States training ship Mohican, has been appointed inspector of this, the Twelfth Lighthouse District, to succeed Capt. John Milton. Capt. Milton has been assigned to duty on the Asiatic station, and will leave San Francisco on the steamer China for the Orient, to take command of one of the warships of Admiral Evans's fleet. Capt. Milton has been in command of lighthouse work on this Coast for several years, and has done much to improve the service.

Capt. A. J. Anderson has succeeded H. Lahmyer as master of the schooner Harry. C. O. Anderson has been enrolled as master of the bark Santiago, and T. A. Jamieson as master of the steamer South May.

The steamers Coronado, Newling and Chehalis are bar bound and unable to get out of Gray's Harbor.

The steamer W. H. Kruger has sailed from Eureka with a full cargo of lumber, consigned to wholesale dealers at this port.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Office U. S. Lighthouse Inspector Twelfth Dist., San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 22, 1904. San Pedro Bay, Cal.—("List of Beacons and Buoys, Pacific Coast, 1903," page 13.)—Notice is hereby given that San Pedro entrance buoy, black, No. 1, has gone adrift. It will be replaced as soon as practicable.

By order of the Lighthouse Board.

W. P. DAY,
Commander U. S. Navy,
Inspector Twelfth Lighthouse District.

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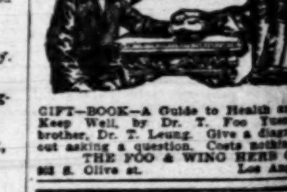

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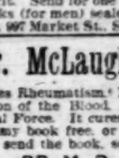

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ORNIA'S GE SUPREME.

NA FARMERS' CLUB ERFUL LECTURE.

Says Florida is Out Aristocratic Bull Pup Figure in Court. Events.

Office of The Times, No. nue, Feb. 26.—At the of the Farmers' Club street, in Recital row, who has traveled ough the orange disMexico and Porto that California growers rious competitor at doubtedly Porto Rico with modern immethods, but it will be

Dr. Disbrow there are Mexico where orand they don't amount Mexicans progress cheap labor. The are not in the way from transporthe eye of the be had for years. said the speaker, ago, prior to the boxes were shipare sent away orange is sweeter, the navel. He raised in California anything Florida can Californ can put Calland in raising the pomelo

the place Southern Calmay expect to recogcompetitor in a few will not be until grow- they must build big Jealous tillers of Porto Rico's rainy failure. The orange in west of the mountain is little rain and irrigation depended upon. When come go in and irrigate to improved methbe something doing.

ETY EVENTS.

Gilbert's new bungaon avenue was the scene hospitality yesterday afternoon special entertainment the reading of that fasketch, "Monsieur Beau- W. D. Turner, who was guests were the thirty entered early in the month reception given by Meadames Turner. The great livingbeautifully ornamented with vases and asparagus the reception-room adjoining filled with basses of jonquils the usual tinkling and sunshiny of the charming apartment. served a dainty repast was and a social time spent. Those were Madames I. K. Macomber, B. Wright, Fred R. Harris, Grover Newkirk, J. S. A. Mac Kerwin, Norman Finch, H. B. Stehman, A. E. Hines, Misses Tower, Pauline Greer, Bessie Stehman, Maude McCauley, Maud Mclean McLean, Abbott, Bakesley, Sanborn and Fast, Radeke, Mullikin, Burris, Ellis Linnard, Scheltz, Reighard. have been received in Pasa- Col. and Mrs. Bolton the marriage of their Alice Conway, to Gormerly of Pasadena. The read Tuesday at the Pre- Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. at home after March 7 at Pradisco.

Bishop J. H. Johnson leaves the north to remain two in San Francisco and

Miss Frances Scoville, Jr., and Harry Ziers, Santa Barbara Monday in auto car, are expected evening. Telegrams anyone full of thrilling ex-

ARDERS ORGANIZE.

fty residents of Orange met in the Board of yesterday afternoon for of forming an improve- Many are dissatisfied way the show street is are kicks against the movement going on there most sprinkling, also. sprinkling will require work and scheming, as Water Company assured that they could not do sprinkling, even if the water. A committee was chosen in the perDr. W. D. Morse, C. D. Daggett and F. C. will report at a meeting Messrs. C. B. Scoville, and Dr. E. L. Conger a committee to look movement on the street.

PUP IN COURT.

dollars for a bull pup's Mrs. G. L. Huggins demand in court beSaturday next Saturday Huggins is a wealthy Orient, N. J., and is Maryland. She has automobile and an latter much beloved. pup was doing his with the auto in Altatrouble for him, and to run across the tyrant. A short time had been badly mix-up between two species is not popular family, so the man of Mrs. Huggins's pup a revolver, just on and for general reife was saved, but half of what's going luck for a dog of his a brother of a pup Jeffries, and has District Attorney prosecution and Attorney will conduct the

BOYS' JAUNT.

A. Warren, manager of the and Mandolin Club has of the members and is giving concerts in near-by Saturday the club left to give at San Bernardino, Colton, and Redlands. On March 24 hope to give a series of fifconcerts in the northern state. If successful in they may visit the St. Louis and extend their trip east-

SWEET CHARITY.

Charity was the theme and Endeavor the game Grande last night and one hundred and fifty persons were there. It was all in the interest of the Childrens' Training School of the Pasadena Hospital. The favors were offered by the leading merchants of Pasadena and Los Angeles and were numerous and some very nice. Refreshments were served.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Miss Julian Shaw of Oakland avenue was a victim of the wet asphalt on East Colorado street yesterday. Her horse slipped, throwing and slightly bruising her.

Miss Clara Merrill, aged 36, a native of Wisconsin, died yesterday on Catalina avenue. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the parlors of Adams, Turner & Stevens.

Next Tuesday preliminary work looking toward the paving of East Colorado street from Los Robles to the city limits will be set before the Council in a resolution of intention.

Miss Florence Borden of Fall River, Mass., won first prize in the Hotel Raymond golf tournament Wednesday.

The second of the popular Lenten recitals by Jessie Alexander Roberts will be given in Hotel Green music room this evening.

Fifty delegates to the county convention of Christian Endeavorers will leave here at 1 o'clock this afternoon on a special car over the Pacific Electric Railway for Whittier.

"Pasadena is advertised by its loving friends," said Chief of Police Freeman last night. "Yesterday we had a visit from detectives from Columbus, O., Omaha and Denver. They were much pleased with the city, and as they are men who go everywhere, this city will doubtless receive much advertising from them." The new quarters of the local police were inspected and much admired. Later the party visited Library Park and had a group picture taken.

Edmund Richardson, one of Sierra Madre's most successful trappers and hunters, succeeded in killing a large wild cat near his home yesterday, making a total of eight for the season.

Wigwam, Indian curios, antiques. 360 South Marengo.

Anderson's imported ginghams at Bon Accord.

Dinner and score cards at Leonard Co.

Japanese auction sale at Kuranagas. Cut flowers at Glasscock's.

Wadsworth sells paints.

OCEAN PARK.

NEW BATH-HOUSE ASSURED.

OCEAN PARK, Feb. 25.—Chairman Dudley of the Bath-house Committee said today that the bath-house is assured. About $50,000 of the capital stock has been subscribed and the plan now is to proceed at once with the construction of the plunge and bathrooms. For the present the highly ornamental features of the project will be abandoned. The original plan contemplates the construction of an auditorium with a seating capacity of 3000. The bath-house proper can be made ready for this season's business at a cost of no more than $100,000, and that will probably be done.

GATHERED ON THE BEACH.

The bakery of F. G. Neff on Pier avenue is in charge of a Deputy Sheriff. Mr. Neff had sold out and was about to surrender possession when creditors closed the place under attachment.

Rev. Frederick H. Post of Los Angeles will remove to this city at once with his family and will be at home in a Grand-avenue cottage. Mr. Post has been called to the pastorate of the new Episcopal Church here.

There will be a prohibition meeting at the Methodist Episcopal Church Friday evening to gather the friends of temperance together for a final rally.

T. G. Murphy, from Santa Ana and San Pedro, will start a new paper here. C. B. Irvine has retired from the Review, having sold his one-half interest to A. B. Bynon.

On Short Line Beach Harry Jenkins of Los Angeles is erecting a $1300 cottage. It is on Dorothy avenue. On the same street E. Powers of Los Angeles is building a $1200 cottage.

SAN PEDRO.

A PATHETIC FAREWELL.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 25.—Charles Pierce, the alleged slayer of Mike Castellano, was arraigned in Justice Downing's court today upon the charge of murder. Pierce was represented by Attorney Duncan of Los Angeles, and the preliminary examination was set for Tuesday.

Mrs. Pierce, the wife of the accused man was present, and the parting between the woman and her husband was pathetic. She clung to him and kissed him time and again, bestowing upon him terms of endearment. This was, perhaps, the last meeting of the husband and wife, as over $100 has been subscribed to send her to her relatives in Virginia, which will be done as soon as arrangements for tickets can be made.

Pierce still refuses to discuss the tragedy and simply says he can remember nothing about it. He says he knows of no reason why he should have killed Castellano. He seems to be losing his nerve, however.

SIERRA MADRE.

CANDLE-SNUFFING EVENT.

SIERRA MADRE, Feb. 25.—Rare and pleasing suggestions of colonial days were presented Monday evening at the New England supper served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church. Flickering candles, set in old-fashioned candlesticks with snuffers near at hand, were the source of illumination. Each guest received a reminder of Washington in the form of a hatchet. The tables were decorated with little cherry trees. The colonial idea predominated in the menu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson have been celebrating the fifty-second anniversary of their marriage.

B. G. Hunt, aged 56, of Clarence, N. Y., E. Brecker of Buffalo, N. Y., and Dr. Parker of Ocean Park were entertained Sunday by J. A. Thompson.

T. Brewster, a brother of Wilton Brewster, the superintendent of T. E. Yerxa's ranch, was thrown from a high wagon Monday. He struck on his head and received injuries on account of which he was taken to a Los Angeles hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorn of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Yerxa of Hollywood were guests of Mrs. Ida Nesmith and W. A. Yerxa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthias have returned from San Diego.

Miss Martha Buck of Long Beach has for several days been a guest of Mrs. John Graham.

Rev. Mr. Case of Los Angeles, who has charge of Spanish mission work in Southern California, gave a stereopticon lecture at the Congregational Church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jane Kemp and Mrs. Charles Couch and daughter of Los Angeles have been spending several days at their old home on Central avenue.

POLO RACING TO BE REVIVED.

FINE TRACK WILL BE BUILT IN SANTA MONICA.

Intention is to Put the Old Polo Ground in Condition for Playing. Rewards Offered for Conviction of Dog Poisoners.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 25.—Polo and polo races are to be revived here and it is promised that they will be among the leading attractions next summer. T. H. Dudley, G. L. Waring and J. B. Procter are the prime movers in forming an organization for the promotion of the sports. A large tract lying between Washington and Montana avenues and Seventh and Fourteenth streets, has been leased for five years. A track of three-quarters of a mile in length will be built, and a grandstand erected. The old polo grounds near the Seventh-street Park will be put into condition for play the coming season. It is the intention to have six days of polo and races on the week preceding or the week just following the annual tennis tournament.

PROTECTING CANINES.

Rewards are offered for the conviction of the dog poisoner. On the 12th inst., R. A. Rowan, a real estate man of Los Angeles, who with his wife is living at No. 324 Second street, this city, for the winter, had a valuable Newfoundland dog killed by the dog poisoner. Knowing that Santa Monica has been infested with dispensers of death-producing chemicals intended for canines for the past fifteen years, and being incensed at losing his valuable quadruped, Mr. Rowan comes forward and offers a reward of $250 for the arrest and conviction of the person who poisoned his dog. Mr. Rowan even goes farther than this as he offers another $100 for the arrest and conviction of any person found guilty of poisoning or causing to be poisoned, any dog in Santa Monica during the last two years, and an additional $50 reward for the arrest and conviction of any person who has been guilty of putting poison out where it could be taken by dogs. Mr. Rowan says these rewards hold good indefinitely.

RECEIVED NEW MEMBERS.

The Royal Arcanum entertained a team from Los Angeles last evening which came down to initiate several new members. A banquet followed the work.

LONG BEACH.

HONORED BY WOODMEN.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 25.—Neighbors of the Woodmen of the World honored C. B. Johnson, past counsellor of the Long Beach camp of that order last evening. Yesterday was his forty-ninth birthday. In recognition of the anniversary the camp presented him with a piece of imported bisque statuary and the officers gave him a diamond pin.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

The Young Woman's Christian Association has secured quarters in the new Masonic temple. The rooms are being made ready for occupancy.

Frances H. Greene and Cora Biedermeau were married at Wilmington yesterday, Rev. W. K. Beans of Long Beach officiating. The rite was performed at the home of the brother of the bride. She is ex-postmistress of Wilmington. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Greene took possession of their newly-furnished home.

An effort was made at the City Trustees' meeting last night to secure a lease of the pavilion on certain nights during the week for use as a roller skating rink, but the board peremptorily denied the application.

James Funk, who recently arrived here from Wisconsin, has purchased the Proctor place on American avenue; consideration named, $4500.

William Brady, who fell thirty-five feet from the Masonic Building yesterday, is not seriously injured, and will recover.

J. W. Benham and bride, who came here Monday, were given a sevencourse spread at the Julian by Thomas Croft and wife of Pasadena last evening. There were seven guests.

The remains of D. S. Wardlow, who died here yesterday, will be buried in the Artesia Cemetery tomorrow.

There was a gathering of Minnesotans at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Dawley, at Second and Main streets last night. About twenty-five guests were present, all of whom were neighbors in Minnesota.

WHITTIER.

MRS. C. W. ILER DEAD.

WHITTIER, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Carey W. Iler, wife of Rev. Mr. Iler of the Baptist Church, died today. Mrs. Iler had been in poor health for some years, her husband giving up the pastorate of a large Detroit church to bring her to this milder climate. They had been residents of this city but a short time, but both husband and wife had gained many warm friends. Funeral service will be held at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Baptist Church.

This forenoon the funeral service for Miss Florence E. Jackson was held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson, on the Lowell tract. Miss Jackson was a bright young woman, only 22 years old, and her death comes as a great shock, as she was ill only a little more than a week.

CLAREMONT.

TO LIVE IN A TENT.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 25.—Thomas Evans, an invalid son of a millionaire of Marion, O., was taken to the foothills north of Claremont yesterday. He was carried to Cables Cañon in an ambulance and will live in a tent. With him are his brother, David Evans and his family physician, Dr. Rhu.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

The committee appointed by the Claremont Church to prepare plans for the new edifice, went to Long Beach yesterday to examine several of the artistic church buildings there.

REAL ESTATE MEN TO BUILD.

C. C. Johnson & Co., real estate agents, have bought a lot on the north side of First street, west of the Claremont Cyclery, and will put up an office building.

Theater of War.

The colored map, with statistics on opposite page, which appeared in the Sunday Times of February 21, will be printed separately in colors, on heavy paper, for preservation and reference, and will be on sale at all book stores and at The Times office at 10 cents per copy.

LABOR.

TOTEM CHIEFS COMING HERE.

Buchanan Due Today, Miller to Arrive Next Week.

Unionism Will Make Desperate Fight in This City.

Warfare on Women and Individuals Continues.

Frank Buchanan, one of unionism's chiefs, who whipped Sam Parks of New York in the Kansas City convention, will be here today.

C. E. Miller, national organizer of the Amalgamated Woodworkers, will be here next week.

They are coming to assist Los Angeles unionism in its now-active campaign against individual freedom. They will make a desperate effort to unionize this city and vicinity.

War has been started by unionism on individual workmen, to whom the ultimatum has been issued: "Join the union or leave the city." The plan is to "picket" the individual, make him the subject of derision, humiliate his wife, and expose him to indignities in order to force him to join a union.

The Central Labor Council has voted to assist in the warfare against the women who are conducting the Rival restaurant. Money has been voted to pay toughs to patrol the establishment.

The above are the main points in the day's developments in the local labor situation.

PLAN OF CAMPAIGN.

"Join some labor union or get out of the city" is now the ultimatum put to the independent workingmen of Los Angeles and vicinity.

But so far as this section is concerned this union flat is most laughable, in that it is the union men who are getting out of the city as fast as they strike. They are made to realize that here, at least, unionism is not in the saddle.

The international organization now insists that the individual, rather than the firm or shop, must be boycotted. "Picket the individual, not the factory," is the introductory sentence of Secretary Robert G. Wall's communication to local unions. Continuing, this bombastic laborite says:

THIS IS A JOKE.

"That is our motto. Make it unpleasant for those outside of the unions. Let them know that there is no place in your city where they can have rest.

"The old plan of picketing shops never did work well. You can have any man effectively picketed without getting into trouble. The man will be jeered when he leaves for his work in the morning and when he returns at night. Tradespeople will take up the cry and the man's wife will be taunted because of his refusal to join us. There can be but one consequence. The outsider will have to move or join us."

Such methods may be tolerated in Chicago, New York and San Francisco, but not in Los Angeles.

TROUBLE-MAKERS COMING.

This city will for a time remain a center of activity in labor agitation. Headed our way are several international organizers who have yet to learn the magnitude of the task of swinging Los Angeles into the union line. Others have come and gone, but Frank Buchanan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, will arrive today to try his hand.

Buchanan is the man who made the fight against Sam Parks of New York city, and after defeating him for the presidency headed the movement which drove him out of the organization. Buchanan will devote two months if necessary in forcing the adoption of union principles upon Los Angeles employers.

SKULL AND CROSS-BONES.

As a forerunner of Buchanan's work Secretary Wall's personal picketing plan has been adopted here. The first to be attacked is Secretary Zeehandelaar of the Citizens' Alliance. Every mail brings him threatening clippings from labor papers.

A feature of each communication is a skull and cross-bones. Mr. Zeehandelaar is warned to desist from operating along lines identical with those of the labor unions and under threat of dire disaster he is informed that boycott must not be met with boycott.

Buchanan's work here will be supplemented by that of C. E. Miller, national organizer of the Amalgamated Woodworkers, who will be here next week. Miller has a reputation as a booster of the bully order, and will attempt to dispel the gloom at unionism's headquarters acknowledged as there prevalent by the last issue of the Labor News.

MORE WAR ON WOMEN.

The application of the Cooks' and Waiters' Union for financial aid has been granted by the Council of Labor. This money will be used in the employment of toughs to patrol the walk in front of the Rival restaurant, who bawl their wares—ancient copies of the Labor News—in the ears of passersby, who, though they refuse to purchase, have the offensive publication forced upon them gratuitously.

In the meantime the Citizens' Alliance is busy and an early trial of the strength of the opposing organizations is anticipated.

POMONA.

STAGE RIDE ALMOST FATAL.

POMONA, Feb. 25.—W. S. Newton of this city and a party of eastern relatives had a narrow escape from death at Catalina Island Tuesday while taking the six-horse stage ride. As the party was rounding a curve on the hills, the driver gave the horses the lash and they swerved suddenly, completely overturning the stage throwing the occupants out and rolling the driver over the embankment, but he held to the reins. All members of the party were badly bruised, one man having his leg broken.

ELKS PROSPEROUS.

The Elks' lodge has made many improvements in the club rooms here. Handsome furniture has been installed and a new kitchen has been equipped, in the brick addition back of Union Block.

HARVEY-BURRITT NUPTIALS.

Mrs. Julia A. Harvey and Eugene L. Burrill, were married at Santa Paula today by Rev. F. W Scott of the Universalist Church. Mrs. Burrill has resided here for several years and owns a home on North Ellen street. The groom has been staying in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Burrill will live in Pomona.

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ENDEAVORERS TO WHITTIER.

Greatest County Convention Will Open Today.

Quaker Town Preparing to Entertain Many.

Six Hundred Delegates and a Strong Programme.

Christian Endeavor in Los Angeles county will be represented at Whittier this afternoon in what is expected to be and what gives every promise of being the greatest gathering of Endeavorers ever held in the county.

The Endeavor army has grown rapidly and is now made up of fully 3000 young persons in the county and about 30,000 in the State. Whittier is on the qui vive over the coming of the convention to the little Quaker town and will welcome it in the Quaker church. The whole village is practically given over to preparing a suitable reception for the guests. One of the things they are preparing to do is to entertain all who will stay over tonight, which looks as though it might prove a great task, as the officers anticipate an attendance of not less than 600 delegates, probably one-half of whom will be ready to stay through the night.

Enthusiastic Pasadena, which is in line for entertaining the next year's convention, has chartered a special flyer on the Pacific Electric Railway and will make a great show of earnest enthusiasm and numerical strength, under the leadership of such strong men as Rev. Frank M. Dowling and Mell Brownball.

Special cars will leave this city over the Pacific Electric Railway from Sixth and Main streets, today at 1, 3 and 6:30 o'clock p.m., returning tonight after the close of the convention. The railway officials have announced their readiness not only to supply cars at the hours mentioned, but will meet the demand throughout the day, as well as tomorrow morning, when specials will leave Sixth and Main streets at 8 o'clock.

THE WHITTIER END.

The working force of Whittier Endeavorers, which is handling that end of the convention as it has never been handled before, is composed of Miss Anna L. Tomlinson, president; Miss Jacobs, secretary, and convention committees under the following chairmen: Entertainment, Miss Mamie Osborn; Arrangements, Mrs. A. C. Johnson; Reception, Mrs. Reba Smith; Refreshment, Virgil Trueblood; Music, Arthur Jessup; Finance, Edward Bailey; Registration, Rev. N. T. Edwards. All of these chairmen are backed up by energetic committees, as enthusiastic as themselves upon proving that Whittier can be a royal hostess.

The recent opening of the electric line to Whittier has brought the people more in touch with the city than previously, though it is practically touched by three steam railroads, and many persons will take advantage of this opportunity to pay our neighbors a visit.

The County Endeavor Union is officered as follows: President, Paul C. Brown, Los Angeles; vice-president, Ernest Dawson, Los Angeles; secretary, Charles H. Carter, Pomona; treasurer, Grey M. Skidmore, Downey. Department superintendents: Junior, Miss Belle White, Los Angeles; intermediate, Mrs. M. B. Follett, Pasadena; tenth legion, Miss Anna G. Fraser, Santa Monica; citizenship, D. A. Schweitzer, Los Angeles; quiet-hour, Miss Anna L. Tomlinson, Whittier.

PROGRAMME ATTRACTIONS.

The revised programme was issued yesterday, giving in detail the events of the five sessions to be held during today and Saturday. Saturday morning and afternoon the convention will be subdivided into three sessions, under different department heads, but all the other sessions will be held in the main auditorium. Among the attractive features might be mentioned the following:

John F. Anderson of Pasadena will tell of world-wide endeavor and how he went around the globe "by a close shave." His only capital to start on was a razor. He will talk about it this afternoon.

A complimentary supper will be tendered to the visitors by the Whittier societies at 6 o'clock this evening, which will be the only strictly social event of the convention.

This evening Rev. William Horace Day of this city will deliver an address under the title "What Shall I Do With Myself?"

A new departure will be announced in Christian Endeavor work by Dr. Sara E. Wise of San Francisco, who will introduce the "California C. E. Hospital Association."

Other addresses will be by Rev. A. B. Prichard, J. E. White, president of the State union; Rev. C. S. Billings, Leonard Merrill and Dr. Anti-Saloon Chapman.

Good music there will be in abundance. The Whittier Male Quartette, composed of Messrs. Charles Williams, Arthur Jessup, Fred Groton and Allan Tomlinson, will sing frequently, and solos will be rendered by Mrs. B. W. Sutphen of Whittier, Miss Edith Chambers of Pasadena, Miss Kim Christin of Los Angeles and Miss Anna L. Tomlinson of Whittier. A large convention chorus, under Arthur Jessup, will render anthems each of the two evenings.

TALKS ON LIEN LAW.

Frank James Speaks Before Credit Men's Association and Gives Advice to Builders.

Advice to persons who are erecting buildings was given by Attorney Frank James last evening at the dinner of the Los Angeles Credit Men's Association at Levy's. He spoke on "The Mechanics' Lien Law."

"That law deals with four parties—the owner of the soil, the contractor of the building, the material man, and the laborer," said he, among other things.

"The first step for a solid legal standing is the formation of a substantial contract of some kind. Make your contract valid, and all the courts in the world cannot make you pay more than the stipulated price. This applies also to the laboring man, and there is no reason why any man should not get his money if he observes the law.

"The Supreme Court has held that the contract price is the measure of the liability of the owner in all cases where the value of the building is over $1000, provided a legal contract has been made and filed as per requirements of the law. If I were to suggest improvements on the statute as it now is, I would say that all present provisions with reference to payment of price should be elimihated and the parties to the contract should be free to arrange payments to suit themselves. Our present law goes too far and lulls material men and laborers into false security. It should make them stand more on their own legs.

"There are some fundamentals that must be considered. Only that material is liable that actually goes into the construction of the building, and the contract must be for some one particular building. Some contractors have the habit of ordering a bill of lumber and scattering it around to two or three different jobs. It is doubtful if this bill could be collected under the mechanics' lien law.

"The statute requires that notice of completion be filed by the owner within ten days after the work is actually done. This is often violated, and then when the law fails to bring relief to the parties interest, the law is denounced."

J. F. Cramer, treasurer of the Grand Rapids (Mich.) Credit Association, was introduced, and made a brief speech. Another speaker was J. P. Mercer, of the Sheldon School of Scientific Salesmanship of Chicago. This is an institution which places the selling of goods on a level with the professions.

HOLLYWOOD.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 25.—Mrs. J. H. Whitley entertained sixteen ladies from Los Angeles yesterday at a luncheon at the beautiful Whitley home on Prospect avenue

Members of the Memorial Methodist Church will give their pastor, Rev. A. E. Stellar and wife a housewarming at the new parsonage on Vine street Friday evening.

A. G. Bartlett, president of the Hollywood Board of Trade, has gone East on an extended business trip.

Mds. D. H. Churchill of Redlands is the guest of Mrs. W. O Jackson

E W Elliott has returned from a business trip to Prescott, Ariz.

The meetings which have been in progress at the Christian Church under the direction of Dr. Shepard, the Evangelist, closed last night. Dr. Shepherd will open a series of meetings at Pomona next Sunday.

SAWTELLE.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

SAWTELLE, Feb. 25.—Recent sales of the Pacific Land Company include one lot to Andrew J. Lockard, Ohio avenue and Ninth street, for $200; one lot Oregon avenue and Amherst street to Onslow P. Benson for $135; one-half acre, Nevada avenue and Harvard street to J. H. Trumbull for $200; five lots, Oregon avenue and Wellsley street to R. F. McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Norton and daughter, Miss Grace Norton, of Upland are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mallory.

Leap Year Girl Again.

Doting Father: You must not expect her to propose so soon, my boy. She has been calling on you only three weeks.

Beloved Son: I know that, father, but instead of enlightening me as to her intentions she insists on turning down the gas and keeping me in the dark.—[Chicago News.

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are not a speculation but sure and positive. A pure herb remedy.
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For Sale by All Druggists.

TOO MUCH FOR "JUMPERS."

The sect of the "Burning Bush," a fanatical religious body which congregates over the postoffice, made night hideous in that neighborhood last evening with their Herculean efforts to drive the Devil out of an unconverted stranger who appeared in their midst. Incognito made bold to ask the chief disciple his authority for high jumping as a part of the essential formula of salvation, and was then made an object of shouting, screaming supplication on the part of nearly forty "jumpers" in the room. Finally seeing that the spirits of darkness were more powerful than the spirits of light, the sanctified arose, girded up their loins and thrust the intruder unceremoniously into outer darkness.

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The greatest testimonial that can be offered the Cuticura remedies is their world-wide sale, due to the personal recommendations of those who have used them. From a small beginning in the simplest form, against prejudice and opposition, against monied hosts, countless rivals, and trade indifference, Cuticura remedies have become the greatest curatives of their time, and, in fact, of all time, for nowhere in the history of medicine is to be found another approaching them in popularity and sale. In every clime and with every people they have met with the same reception. The confines of the earth are the only limits to their growth. They have conquered the world.
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$2.00 Oak Bedroom Screens at

Solid oak screens—three panel; are 5 feet high and open out to 4½ feet; are fitted with heavy quality Silkoline; choice line of colors; worth regularly $2.00. February Trade Sale price as a Friday Surprise..... **$1.25**

THIRD FLOOR.

Samples of $5 Lace Curtains at each

A manufacturer's sample line of finest Cable net—heaviest, very closest weave; all in handsome patterns; some of them several of one pattern. They are all values up to $5.00 a pair. Specially priced to close as a February Trade Sale leader Friday at each..... **$1.25**

THIRD FLOOR.

35c China and Japanese Mattings at

3000 yards of extra choice and fine China and Japanese linen warp mattings in full and half rolls. All of them have heavy corded edges. Some of them are the Imperial white; others in carpet patterns; all of them reversible. Worth up to 35c. February Trade Sale price as a Friday Surprise per yard..... **20c**

FOURTH FLOOR.

65c Cork Linoleums per Sq. yard

Extra fine grade of heavy cork Linoleums in all the new spring patterns and colorings. They are all well finished. Some of them are in tile patterns. They are all 2 yards wide and worth regularly 65c per square yard. Friday per square yard..... **50c**

FOURTH FLOOR.

Women's Manicuring **25c** Why Pay More?

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Corns Removed **25c** Why Suffer Pain?

FRIDAY'S SURPRISES

Success of Our February Trade Sales.

No merchandising efforts which have been attempted in this city for a long time have been as popular as our present February Trade Sales. February is the month usually supposed to be dull and under conditions would be, but we anticipated these things months ago and our New York Buying Organization in connection with our local buyers who from time to time have been in the Eastern markets by extraordinary efforts secured large quantities of merchandise direct from the factories in many cases at prices but little more than cost of making and material; so we have been able to place them before our public at money-saving prices. This is a final clearance now of not only the special merchandise, but also lots and broken lines from our regular stock, as next week we will begin to show all of the new Spring goods. As a Friday Surprise list we are satisfied we have never been able to place as many meritorious bargains in one day before our patrons and we are satisfied that you will appreciate the fact and purchase liberally.

Laces Worth Up to 25c at per

Consisting of 2 inch Cluny laces, 2 inch Point d'Esprit and Normandy Valenciennes lace insertions and medallions, 2 to 3 inch colored Cluny laces, black Chantilly galoons, 1 to 5 inch Torchons, 3 inch Oriental laces, 2½ inch Applique and 2½ inch Batiste applique and Escurial laces in black and white, and Point de Venice in appliques in grape patterns; values up to 25c. February Trade Sale price as a Friday surprise, no mail or telephone orders, per yard.....

15c Swansdown Flannelette per

These are the best grade of Flannelette in all the bright colorings and the patterns are fancy stripes on plain grounds or printed stripes and printed warp effects interspersed with white hairline stripes. The material is 28 inches wide, nicely fleeced, firmly woven and worth 15c. February Trade Sale price as a Friday Surprise, no mail or telephone orders, per yard.....

Men's 25c Initial Hose per

A superior line of men's all black hose; Lisle finish; have pretty silk worked initials in all letters. This line of hosiery is in all sizes from 9½ to 11 and were never sold under 25c. As a February Trade Sale leader for a Friday Surprise, no mail or telephone orders, limit of 6 pairs, choice .....

Spachtel Center Pieces a

A very pretty assortment of these dainty little cut out or Spachtel center pieces, either round or square, 18 inch size, will be specially featured as a February Trade Sale leader for a Friday Surprise. You could hardly match any of them anywhere under 25c. For the one day, no mail or telephone orders.....

$20.00 Tailored Suits at $9.95.

There are about twenty of these long coat suits left from our recent big sale and they are in black, blue and popular mixtures; are nicely tailored; are in good style and regular $20.00 values. Priced to close as a Friday surprise at..... **$9.95**

SECOND FLOOR.

50c White Madras per yd. 25c.

This Madras is a very heavy weight suitable for women's waists or children's wear; is an exceptionally meritorious weave and has sold during the season at 50c. Now priced as a Friday surprise per yard..... **25c**

15c Covert Cloths per yd. 10c.

A choice assortment of 36 inch "Palmer" Covert Cloth in dark mixtures. There is nothing prettier or more serviceable for outing suits and skirts as it will both wash and wear well; regular price 15c. Friday surprise per yard..... **10c**

Chiffon Hats at $2.50.

Silk tucked Chiffon Hats—three different shapes, two turban, the other a rather large flare. All nicely made and require but little trimming and are in black and white only. Friday Surprise... **$2.50**

Dress and Street Hats at $3.95.

Entirely new stylish dress hats which are in the newest designs of making; have fancy brims of shirred silk set in between braids with all shirred silk or braid crowns. They are in good colors and are trimmed with shaded foliage and roses to match. In the same line are stylish street hats of fancy plaid chip braid trimmed with velvet ribbon, quills and gilt ornament. Friday surprise, choice..... **$3.95**

SECOND FLOOR.

Women's $2.00 Golf Vests at 98c

A choice lot of knit Golf Vests—the colorings black and white, plain white, plain red or green; all of them are in good condition, are nicely made and have sold up to now at $2.00. February Trade Sale price as a Friday Surprise, choice **98c**

SECOND FLOOR.

$5.00 Silk Waists at $3.95.

One lot of Peau de Soie and taffeta Silk Waists—good assortment of colorings as also black. There are all sizes in the combined line and they are regular $5.00 values. February Trade Sale price as a Friday Surprise, choice ... **$3.95**

SECOND FLOOR.

$4.00 Walking Skirts at $1.9

These skirts are all wool mixed and are made trimmed with self strap very serviceable for uses and have sold at $4.00. Priced as a surprise, at choice.....

SECOND FLOOR.

Remnants 20c, 25c Linings, 10c

An assortment of at least 2500 yards consisting of 25c Sateens, Spun Glass and Diamond Silk; also 20c Percalines and Silesias—all in desirable remnant lengths; good colorings suitable for waists or drop skirts. Friday surprise, choice, per yard **10c**

15c Mommie Waistings, Yd. 8⅓c

For serviceable, neat appearing wash waists there is nothing prettier than these Mommie Waistings which are in white grounds with black striped patterns and sell regularly at 15c. One lot of them offered as a Friday Surprise, choice, per yard..... **8⅓c.**

$1.50 Novelty Suitings, yd., 79c

10 pieces of 45-inch imported wool novelties—tan, mode, reseda, bluette, gray, red, French blue, covered with white flakes in new effect; some with small pin stripes; these are from Paris, and popular Spring weaves; worth $1.50. Friday, per yard..... **79c**

$1.50 Fancy Wool Materials 89c

An assortment of 30 pieces in blue, tan, green, gray and black grounds and consist of twine cloth, canvas etamines and mistrals, covered with white nubs, overshot figures, self colored nubs and bourette effects; an assortment of sheer and open, also close weaves, 54 in. wide; sold up to now at $1.50. Priced Friday, per yard... **89c**

75c Bl'k Mohair Brilliantine 59c

Five pieces of a 52-inch Sicilian weave mohair brilliantine, bright black, perfectly reversible, are of wiry mohair wool and sell every where at 75c. Specially priced for Friday, per yard..... **59c**

75c Mercerized Petticoats, 50c

Women's black mercerized petticoats made with deep plaited flounce; are very serviceable and neatly finished; regular 75c values. Friday Surprise, choice..... **50c**

SECOND FLOOR.

50c Muslin Gowns at 35c.

Women's heavy muslin gowns—trimmed with two rows of embroidery insertion with tucks between. They are extra full width and length and would be good values at 50c. Friday Surprise..... **35c**

SECOND FLOOR.

Children's Flan'lette Dresses 25c

These are the kinds you usually pay 50c for. The colors are pink and blue; are made with square yokes, trimmed with embroidery and finishing braid; are in sizes 1 to 4 years. Offered as a Friday Surprise at choice..... **25c**

SECOND FLOOR.

75c and $1 Wool Waistings

Our entire stock of Waistings which have sold at 75c and $1.00 and include 30-inch tucked and 23-inch tucked veiling, corded and lace effects; plain grounds with nubs, silk embroideries and are in Granite, Prunella, Flannel and ing weaves. On bargain table while they last, Friday per yard.....

Silk and Velvet Remnants

More than 1000 yards in the lot in pieces to 6 yards each, and the assortment co inch China silks, wash silks, fancy silks, Ta roys, metallic printed velveteens, gun metal printed velveteens; also 36 inch lining serge Not a yard in the lot worth less than 5 75c and $1.00. Bargain table Friday, choice yard.....

Notion Surprises.

Safety Pins—guarded springs; white and black; all sizes; one dozen on card; regular price 7½c. Friday..... **5c**

Collar Stiffening—white, black or gray; 2 inches wide; regular price 10c; Friday surprise per yard..... **3c**

Hair Pin Cabinet—80 assorted pins; regular price 5c; Friday surprise 2 cabinets for..... **5c**

Belting—black, white or gray; 1 inch wide and in 9 yard pieces; regular price 15c. Friday per piece..... **5c**

Dress Buttons—1 to 2 dozen on card: assorted metal, enamel, bone, silk and crochet. Friday per card..... **5c**

Dress Shields—vegetable lined; odorless and washable; three sizes. Friday per pair, choice..... **10c**

Finishing Braid—assorted patterns; six yard pieces; regular price 5c; Friday surprise. choice..... **2½c**

Colored Frilled Elastic—extra quality; 1½ inches wide; regular price 10c. Friday surprise per yd..... **5c**

Children's $1.50 Shoes at 95c.

If you have children of a school age you know just how fast they wear out shoes. It does not pay to buy expensive shoes but you want those that are well made. As a Friday surprise we offer a large line of children's $1.25 and $1.50 kid shoes in lace or button styles; all on comfortable lasts and in sizes 5 to 11; they will be specially featured in our basement shoe department for the one day at choice, per pair..... **95c**

BASEMENT.

Children's 25c Drawers at 10c.

Heavy Muslin Drawers finished with hemstitched tucks and sizes are 14 to 16 only. They are actual 25c grades priced as a Friday Surprise at choice..... **10c**

SECOND FLOOR

$1.00 Silk Crepe de Chine 79c.

All the popular gas light and street shades of Nile, light blue, navy, cadet, royal, tan, mode and others; also cream, ivory and black; crisp weave, lustrous finish; 23 inches wide; good $1.00 value. Friday per yard..... **79c**

35c Glass Vases 19c.

Clear Crystal Vases—fluted sides; stand from 16 to 18 inches high. Sell regularly at 35c. Priced for Friday only, no telephone orders, each..... **19c**

THIRD FLOOR

Footwear $1.95 Women's $3.00

There are possibly 3000 pairs in the combined assortment consisting of shoes, slippers and oxfords, all of which are new, fresh, clean stock. They are stylish lasts and there are all sizes in the combined lines. It would not be possible to duplicate any of them elsewhere in Los Angeles under $3.00. We make them a manufacturer's Shoe Sale special as a Friday surprise at choice, per pair..... **$1.95**

Household Surprises.

Hay and Manure Forks—6 prong; made of best steel with long smooth handle. 98c value. Friday..... **59c**

Family Paint—½ pint can; all colors; in linseed oil. Friday per can **20c**

Steam Cookers—steamless and odorless; an entire dinner cooked at one time; worth $1.50 Friday..... **$1.29**

Mail Boxes—black Japanned iron; double cover; worth 59c. Friday..... **49c**

The "Chief"—for p salads and naise dres Porcelain tary beat $1.49. Friday ...

Floor Brush—zilian worth 98c Friday...

Market B—double worth 5 Friday...

"Brownie" Boxes—strap h value. Friday ...

FOURTH FLOOR.

50c Sheet Music, per Copy 10c.

Both vocal and instrumental, and at least 100 titles. Among the titles are: "Don't Forget You Are Talkin' to a Lady," "I'll Be Your Rain Beau," "Girlie With the Baby Stare," "That's How It's Now, Babe," "Sadi," "Affinity March" and others. Friday, choice..... **10c**

50c Gilt Top Books at 25c.

The University line of books, bound in uniform brown English cloth, with gilt tops; printed on good, clear white paper from new plates, and are about 125 of the best and most popular titles. Friday surprise, choice..... **25c**

The Hamburger Store

Drapery Remnants at Half Price.

As a final windup of our February Trade Sales we offer some extra special Friday Surprises in draperies consisting of Tapestries, Cretonnes, Silkolines, Denims, Burlaps, Bobbinets, Silkolines, Hungarian Cloth, Laces and Japanese Crepe, described and priced as follows—

18c Colored Burlaps at per yard 9c
50c Bobbinet, white and ecru, per yard 25c
35c Fish Nets at per yard 10c
25c Hungarian Cloth at per yard 12½c
15c Silkoline per yard 7½c
35c Figured Sateens at per yard 17½c
25c Art Ticking at per yard 12½c
35c Japanese Crepes at per yard 17½c
25c Art Denims at per yard 12½c

THIRD FLOOR.

Domestic Remnants at Half Price.

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Remnants 10c brown linen Crash toweling per yard, 5c.
Remnants 15c plain colored Organdy per yard 7½c.
Remnants 50c silk Mousseline de Soie per yard 25c.
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PACIFIC SLOPE.

NEW ABOUT AMOUS ESTATE.

ted Burch's Method Was Very Simple.

Period of Alleged Mis- leads to Answer for.

mento Levee Weakened by Gophers.

RECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
MA (Wash.) Feb. 26.—[Ex- Dispatch.] In the indictment by the Federal grand jury Attorney Frank Burch, who ted yesterday at Centralia of defrauding certain heirs Baker estate in Philadelphia, it ed that his misdeeds have ex- over a long period and that in several States have been of his wholesale swindling. Among those mentioned are: Vancouver, B. C.; H. Mansfield, Ohio; G. B. Haywood, Wis.; and N. E. Zanesville, Ohio.

Methods varied but little. of the persons named he ad- letters asserting that he pos- valuable information as to the heirs of a famous estate; that the first information, attempts being made to settle the estate; he represented nearly all the heirs, and that those who did their cases in his hands would in the settlement. To oth- claimed that so valuable was information that a representative now in possession of the the estate would visit him be- 10th and 15th of December effect a settlement. Most all heirs whom he addressed considerable money. The against Burch contains

THERS CAUSE LEVEE TO BREAK.

ANDS OF ACRES SUB- MERGED BY RISING RIVERS.

Volume of Water in the Sac- ento Same Damage but No Danger Exists Loose Along the

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
RAMENTO, Feb. 26.—The levee ... through a few miles ... the Riverside road, ... today, and the Lovdal ... ranches are flooded. The ... to have resulted from ... of gophers. A force of ... put at work closing the ... no great danger is antici- ... river at noon registered ... and was slowly rising. No ... is felt, as the levee about ... can stand a raise to thirty

volume of water is going ... Yolo Basin and backwa- ... the town of Washing- ... the river from this city, ... a strong north wind comes ... is felt by the people above ... A weak spot in the levee ... distance above Washington ... strengthened this morning by ... large number of sacks filled ... along the river bank. ... the Oroville branch of the Pacific Company has been ... the tracks being five feet ... Mr. At Marcuse, Sutter ... ties and rails have been ... on the roadbed and are float- ... feet of water. ... a heavy rain in the Sac- ... Caden last night, but a light ... in the valley. It is snow- ... Sierra Nevada Mountains ... to Summit. ... break in the levee has ... 100 feet in width and is ... extending. Ten thousand ... be submerged and the wa- ... ed to the village of Free- ... miles south, and to the ... in the southern part of ... to the north. There is ab- ... danger to this city from

RA RIVER HIGH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
VILLE, Feb. 26.—The Yuba ... the 20-foot mark at D ... morning, overreaching all ... by eight inches. The ... inches during the day ... reading. Feather River is ... higher than ever before. ... levees can stand four ... water than has as yet ... No danger is feared

VER DROWNED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
Feb. 26.—Kohn Ech- ... man of Butte City, ... in the swollen wa- ... Sacramento River. He was ... two companions in a ... when they struck a ... The boat became un- ... and the men jumped. ... companions succeeded in ... but he was carried

... LIKE CYCLONE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
... (Or.) Feb. 26.—A wind- ... character struck the ... of Mt. Tabor, a few miles ... this morning, and de- ... houses, besides badly ... number of other buildings. ... several narrow escapes, ... learned no one was seri- ... The cyclone was ac- ... by a hailstorm of unusual

... SIGNALS OUT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—South- ... signals were hoisted this ... on the way up the coast, ... appearance in British Co- ... a storm of considerable en- ... the influence of which is being ... as far south as the California

... FIAR AT STOCKTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
TON, Feb. 26.—The rainfall at ... today and up to 10 o'clock

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tonight measured .34, making 4.19 inches for the month and 8.46 inches for the season. Last year at this time the record was 6.96. There is no dangerously high water in this section and no fears for the levees, except in the northern part of the country, where breaks occurred yesterday on the Mokelumne River. The overflow from the Sacramento may cause trouble later along the Mokelumne River, but no streams near Stockton are out of their banks.

EIGHTEEN FEET DEEP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
COLUSA, Feb. 26.—The Sacramento River at this place is 27.6 high. The levees are all intact. There is a weak spot near Princeton, twelve miles above Colusa; also one at Moon's Ferry, seven miles below, and another at Sycamore, six miles below Colusa. Men are watching these places and it is thought that the levees will hold unless another storm comes on, causing the river to rise still higher.

On the east side of the river, from Colusa, the whole country is flooded from four to eighteen feet deep. People on that side received warnings from the Weather Bureau and moved all their stock, so have suffered no loss, except where grain had been sown, which has been drowned out.

WET CAR CAUSES DEATH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
STOCKTON, Feb. 26.—C. P. Marsh, a car sealer in the employ of the Southern Pacific at Tracy, was killed there this evening by a train. He was on a wet flat car, slipped and fell between the cars. He was instantly killed and his body was ground to pieces. His son, a switchman there, was working on the same train. Deceased was an old railroad employé and was very popular. His remains were brought here tonight. F. P. Marsh, a brother, is roadmaster on the Southern Pacific at Stockton.

SAVED BY HIS BATH TUB.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 26.—The home of T. H. Starbuck, an elder of the Adventist Church, was wrecked by the storm today. Starbuck, who was in his bathroom at the time, was saved from death by his bath tub, which prevented falling timbers from reaching him. His wife and daughter, who were in the kitchen, were protected in a similar manner by the cook stove.

WORST IN SEVERAL YEARS.

SACRAMENTO LEVEE BREAK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 26.—The most disastrous levee break that has been known for several years in this part of the Sacramento Valley occurred shortly after the noon hour today at a point three miles below the southern line of this city. The trouble was caused by the seepage of water through a gopher hole, the water soon getting beyond control.

An Associated Press reporter visited the scene of the break this evening. The crevasse is about 160 feet long and the column of water is thirty feet high, pouring through the break like a Niagara. The roar of the water can be heard for nearly a mile as it rushes through the break. It is estimated that at least ten thousand acres of valuable land will be submerged.

The loss will reach thousands of dollars; but, by energetic efforts in closing the break, it is hoped to minimize the damage. The trustees of the levee district in which the the break occurred will hold a meeting tomorrow and arrange for dredgers and pile drivers to begin work within three days on the work of closing the break. In fourteen days, it is expected the break will be closed, and then the draining of the submerged lands will only await the going down of the accumulated waters in Snodgrass Slough, which empties into the lower Sacramento River, twenty-five miles below this point, near the confluence of the Mokelumne River.

There were rumors of five people having been drowned, but all such reports are unconfirmed. The upturning of a boat probably gave rise to this report. Boats have been kept busy all afternoon, taking people from the lower levee, but, so far as can be ascertained, all were safely rescued.

All down the valley the people were warned by telephone, and only those near the break were caught in the overflow and back water. About one hundred head of cattle were drowned, together with some swine and chickens. The injury to orchards will not be great if the water is drained off within the next month. In some instances the sand deposit will be of actual benefit to the rich adobe lands that are now submerged. There is no doubt that the lands will be drained in time to secure crops from all of them this season.

The break causes no trouble or apprehension in the city of Sacramento, as it is below the city limits. The back water may come up near the city limits, but the levees are impregnable and guard the city on all sides.

The American River, on the north of Sacramento city, has been raging for several days, but the strength of the storm appears to be spent and the waters are subsiding in all directions.

RAIN AT SAN RAFAEL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
SAN RAFAEL, Feb. 26.—The rainstorm throughout Marin county today was attended by a strong wind. Precipitation for the storm is .70 of an inch; for the season, 29.81, against 26.70 up to this time last year. Most all of the rain this season has come in this month. As a result many acres of land are inundated. It is still raining.

STREAMS RUNNING FULL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
SANTA ROSA, Feb. 26.—As a result of the storm the streams in this vicinity are all running full and considerable damage is reported to culverts and small bridges. A landslide on the California Northwestern road near Guerneville today blocked all traffic on the Guerneville branch.

BREWERY FULL OF WATER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—A portion of the Mission district and other low sections of the city were inundated today, as the result of the heavy downpour of rain. Owing to the continuance of the storm of the last few days, the sewers were inadequate to carry off the water. Streets became impassable to pedestrians, board walks floated away, and many houses were flooded. In the Enterprise brewery the water was four feet deep. Toward evening, the rain ceased and the waters subsided rapidly.

TORNADO STRIKES PORTLAND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 26.—An unoccupied house belonging to William Thomas, in the path of a tornado, was today demolished. Luckily, no one was in the building when the storm struck it. The building occupied by the grocery store of W. T. Henton was wrecked, and the stock scattered in every direction. No one was injured, though several people had narrow escapes. Davis's store, just across the street, was damaged to such an extent that the stock is practically ruined.

LARGE DREDGER SUNK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ANTIOCH, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The large dredger Sierra, which has been at work on the levees on the Sacramento side of Sherman Island, has sunk. It is supposed that a submerged pile stove a hole in her bottom. The Sierra cost about $78,000. It will cost at least $4000 to raise her. There is great apprehension felt for the safety of the levees on the Sherman, owing to the high water and the fact that this great machine is now out of commission.

CAPT. HARTS'S SEIZED BAGGAGE.

CONDEMNATION SET ASIDE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Judge De Haven has set aside the order of condemnation of the goods seized in the baggage of Capt. William Harts of the Engineer Corps, U.S.A., last July, when he arrived on the transport Thomas from Manila. The court also countermanded the order to the United States Marshal to sell the goods. The order was set aside on the application of the captain's attorneys, who stated that they were not aware that the case was coming up.

Capt. Harts also filed a claim on the goods seized. He will now fight for the goods and the $1971 penalty imposed for smuggling.

NEGLECTED RIGHT TOO LONG.

OPINION IN PERALTA SUIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—United States District Judge Billinger of Portland, sitting in the place of District Judge De Haven, handed down an opinion deciding the famous Peralta suit, involving $30,0000 worth of property on the Oakland water front, in favor of the United States government.

The suit was brought some years ago by Vicente Peralta, one of the heirs to the Peralta estates, claiming that the patent issued by the United States government to the Piralta family in 1850 was obtained by fraud and did not include or comprehend all of the lands claimed by them.

Judge Billinger refused to reopen the case, on the ground that Peralta's grantors signed the decree of confirmation of title to the lands at the time the patent was issued to them by the government.

In closing the opinion, Judge Billinger says: "A neglected right, if neglected too long, is an abandoned right which no court will enforce."

Peralta probably will appeal the case.

AWARDED THIRD DECISION.

TILE MEN WIN THEIR CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—For the third time in the last six years, the firm of Lowry & Daly, tile, mantel and grate dealers, has been awarded a decision over the firm of W. W. Montagu and others. The last decision has just been given at Washington, D.C., in the Circuit Court of Appeals.

In 1897, Lowry & Daly brought suit against Montagu and the Tile, Mantel and Grate Association on the ground that it was nothing more or less than a trust. They further stated that the association had injured their trade to a great extent, and, that, according to what is known as the "Sherman act," the association was unlawful. Lowry & Daly were awarded $3000 damages and $750 to cover lawyers' fees. The defendants claimed that $750 was out of reason and the case was carried to the Circuit Court of Appeals at Washington.

The firm under the latest decision is given $3000 and $10,000 for expenses of suit.

WARDRIP PAYS PENALTY.

EXECUTED AT SAN QUENTIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN QUENTIN, Feb. 26.—Charles Wardrip was hanged today for the murder of Hugh Duffy at Sacramento. The drop fell at 10:30 a.m. Wardrip made no statement on the scaffold and met death bravely. Only about thirty spectators were present. Just three minutes elapsed from the time the guards strapped Wardrip in the death chamber until he dropped to his death. Wardrip was anxious to meet death and was "game" to the last. He mounted the scaffold unassisted.

P. H. Duffy, brother of the murdered man, was present today and was much affected by the execution. Just after the drop, Duffy fainted and had to be carried out of the room.

REWARD FOR WARDRIP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 26.—The State Board of Examiners has ordered that the $500 reward offered for the capture and conviction of Charles Wardrip, who was hanged at San Quentin today, be divided between Dr. Maier of Salt Lake City and Carl Dalberg, a former companion of Wardrip. Dr. Maier receiving $400 and Dalberg $100.

The board has also ordered that the $250 reward offered for the capture of Albert Seavis, the negro convict who escaped from Folsom Prison last July, be divided equally among Engineer Edward Waters and Brakemen Harry Gibbs and G. N. Hair, on whose train the escape rode from Roseville to Auburn. The men mentioned gave the information which led to Seavis's capture by Sheriff Keena. Keena declined to make any claim for the reward.

SPOKE ON CALIFORNIA.

GOV. PARDEE AT STOCKTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
STOCKTON, Feb. 26.—The Stockton Chamber of Commerce gave its third annual banquet tonight, nearly four hundred being in attendance. Gov. George C. Pardee was the special guest of the evening and responded to the toast "California," in which he eloquently breathed his devotion to the State of his birth. Arthur H. Ashley was the toastmaster.

Secretary Colvin B. Brown of the Chamber of Commerce spoke on "Year Three and Its Results;" Dewitt Clary responded to "The Future of Stockton;" Rufus P. Jennings of the California Promotion Committee spoke on "Stockton's Place Among the State's Promoters," and James A. Louttit discussed "The Ladies."

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BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—The Japanese are representing to the Chinese in Manchuria that they will be guilty of a breach of neutrality if they in any way help the Russians to preserve order in Manchuria during the war. The Japanese have warned the Chinese not to interfere with the Chuchuns, bandits who have organized for guerrilla warfare against Russia.

FRANCE NOT BELLICOSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—In view of the attitude assumed by the French government immediately after the agreement between Japan and Korea was entered into, diplomats do not consider the latest developments of alarming nature. It is now regarded as certain in Washington official and diplomatic circles that the French government wants to keep out of war.

MORGAN AN OBJECT LESSON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—The refusal of Russia to allow E. N. Morgan, the newly-appointed American consul at Port Dalny, to go to his post was brought about by Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch. Grand Duke Alexander, who is the Czar's brother-in-law and leader of the war party, convinced the Czar, much against his will, that Morgan's rejection offered an opportunity to broadly intimate to the United States Russia's displeasure that American sympathy with Japan is expressed so openly.

JAPAN'S HOLD ON KOREA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
TOKIO, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—The preliminaries of Japan's campaign on land have developed so far as to render practically impossible a formidable invasion of Korea by Russia. Japan's present position in Korea has been gained by strategy and skill of the highest order. This position can be changed only by the most disastrous reverse to the Japanese arms in Manchuria, when operations begin there.

THAT ARMED ALLIANCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—Representatives of European powers were not surprised tonight to hear that the Korean troops been ordered to take the field with the Japanese. They have been expecting that the agreement that was signed at Seoul, Tuesday night, would end in an armed alliance, sooner or later.

HILL HANDLING PARKER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—David B. Hill has assumed control of Judge Alton B. Parker's candidacy, and, as a result of the conferences at the Hoffman House during the past three days, has announced that he will oppose Charles F. Murphy, and will demand an instructed delegation from New York for Judge Parker.

"BIFF" ELLISON DEAD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—Frank ("Biff") Ellison died tonight from pneumonia, at his home in this city.

HARBIN GETS THE "NEWS."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
HARBIN, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—Only fifteen inhabitants remain in Dalny. The Japanese intend to bombard the city. After the bold attempt of the Japanese to block the channel at Port Arthur, a great naval fight took place. Twenty-eight fighting vessels were in the Japanese fleet. The attack lasted fourteen hours, but the Japanese failed to achieve their purpose, being repulsed by the forts. Several Japanese vessels were sunk.

RUSSIANS SIGHT THE ENEMY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
TOKIO, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—Russian and Japanese scouts sighted each other this morning at Sukchen, twenty-five miles north of Ping Yang, but did not come into collision. The Russians are moving southward of Tumen River, where the roads are extremely bad.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Gets Job at St. Louis Exposition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—James W. Maguire, an appraiser in the customhouse of this city, has been selected by Secretary Shaw of the United States Treasury Department to operate the bureau of appraisement at the St. Louis Fair.

Goes to Circuit Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—The suit brought a few days ago by the Utah-Nevada Company against Joseph de Lamar, the millionaire mine owner, for $1,000,000, will be heard in the Circuit Court of the United States for the northern district of California. An order transferring the case from the Superior Court has been granted on petition of De Lamar.

Little Boy Played With Pistol.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 26.—Morris Rutan, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Rutan was accidentally shot by an older brother this afternoon while he was playing with a pistol which they had pulled from under a pillow in their parents' room. The bullet entered the head and death is expected.

Held up by Masked Robber.

SAN JOSE Feb. 26.—Frank Pimentel was held up by a masked robber at the eastern limits of the town of Santa Clara tonight. The robber secured no money and has not been caught. He is believed to be one of a gang that has been in the vicinity for some time.

Struck Down by Parties Unknown.

SAN JOSE Feb. 26.—James Kelly, a well-known citizen, is lying in a sanitarium with his skull crushed, the result of a blow struck by some person unknown to him, while standing in his own doorway, talking with his wife. It was at night, and his assailant was not seen. He has no suspicions as to who struck him, or why. He will recover.

Crushed to Death by Iron Pipe.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 26.—A young man named John Hill, whose home is in San Francisco, and who had been employed on the river steamer Apache, was crushed to death this morning at the landing in this city while assisting in the unloading of some iron pipes. When a stake was removed the pipes rolled down upon him.

THE SOUTH AND COTTON

Congressman Robinson of Arkansas Tells the New York Credit Men of Bright Prospects.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The South need fear no rival in the production of cotton was the emphatic declaration made tonight by Congressman Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas. The occasion was the dinner of the New York Credit Men's Association. Robinson had for his topic "The South." He said northern capitalists have been slow to make investments in the South, on account, mainly, of uncertainty, but that was rapidly passing away. He believed that the South was now the most universally prosperous of any section of this great land. There was no labor question disturbing his section in Arkansas, and no man in the South, he declared, need be idle, except of his own will.

The South has a monopoly of the cotton production of the world, and she is likely to retain it. For some cause or other, cotton has been abnormally high this season, and the South will increase her production to meet the growing demand. He knew of no foreign country that successfully rivals the South in production of the staple. He pointed to the growth of cotton mills in the South as evidence of the great prosperity there and quoted statistics on the subject.

In agricultural pursuits, also, the South leads the world. The racial question has been settled in the South, so far as it can be, on a satisfactory basis, and colored people are now content. The future is bright with promise and radiant with hope.

The chairman next introduced Congressman Burton L. French of Idaho, who was to speak on "The West." Mr. French dwelt upon the surprising progress of the Pacific Coast States during the past twenty-five years and many interesting incidents were related. "The West is going forward," he said, "with leaps and bounds, and irrigation is benefitting large territories, which will be made fruitful and attract hosts of settlers to populate what were formerly barren States.

WHOLESALE DENIALS.

Interesting Testimony of Defendant's Wife in Cunningham Trial at Bakersfield.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 26.—In the Cunningham trial today the wife of the defendant took the stand and absolutely denied each and every statement of the witness Vezie, wherein he claimed that she had written at her husband's dictation a bogus bill of sale for the property alleged to have been stolen and signed it "John D. Mermod." Her testimony concluded with the sensational denunciation of Vezie which clearly made a deep impression on all present.

The defendant himself then took the stand and contradicted each and every statement of Vezie and Flory, declaring he had paid Vezie for the property in the full belief that the latter had purchased it; that he restored it as soon as he was convinced that it was stolen, and that he did not order the marks of identification removed from the engine, as claimed by the State's witnesses.

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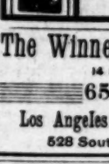

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GUILT IN THE POSTAL CASES.

Jury's Findings Against Machen, Lorenz and Groffs.

Justice Pritchard's Instructions as to Conspiracy.

Talesmen Make Peculiar Request for Accounts.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Immediately after the criminal court convened today, Justice Pritchard charged the jury in the postal cases. He set out the various counts in the indictments and said it was incumbent on the government to prove the allegations contained in the indictment by evidence sufficient to satisfy the jury as to the defendant's guilt beyond a reasonable doubt. Continuing, he said: "It is your duty to arrive at a conclusion in considering the facts and circumstances of this case, the same as you would come to conclusion upon any other set of facts in life. There is no technical rule which prevents you from applying to them the same rules of common sense that you would apply to any other subject that might come under your consideration."

After quoting from the statutes bearing on conspiracy, Justice Pritchard said that the statutory offense of conspiracy under the laws of the United States is not complete until an act is done by some of the parties to carry into execution the fraud alleged to have been committed in the indictment. The combination of crime is the offense, but the alleged act to effectuate it is necessary to make it indictable.

"As a general rule," he continued, "concerted action on the part of the individuals to violate a law, or commit a fraud is in secret, hence the rule which permits the introduction of evidence of separate individual acts tending to show a common design in cases like the one which you are now called upon to consider. The common design is the essence of the charge, and to prove it it is not necessary to prove that the parties actually came together and actually agreed on terms to have that design and to pursue it by common means. Therefore, if you find from the evidence that the parties charged in the indictments knew of the object to be accomplished, and all intentionally participated in the transaction in furtherance of the common design and purpose to defraud the United States, then you may find that there was a tacit understanding, and so far as the conspiracy is concerned, that is sufficient to constitute the offense. There need be no specific agreement."

He said that such an offense rarely, if ever, is proven by direct testimony. Evidence in proof of conspiracy may be, and from the nature of the case, generally must be circumstantial.

"The defendants," he said, "have gone on the witness stand and testified in their own behalf. It therefore becomes my duty to say to you that you ought to scrutinize their testimony in view of the fact that they are interested in the outcome of the trial. But, in doing so, I do not wish to be understood as saying that you should not believe the testimony of the defendants because of the fact that they are interested and if, after considering their testimony and the circumstances under which it was given, you are of the opinion that they have told the truth about the transaction, it is as much your duty to give credit to what they may have stated as it is to believe any other witness who may have testified during the progress of this trial."

He instructed the jury if they were satisfied beyond a reasonable doubt that Machen and the other defendants or any two or more of them conspired to sell the fasteners to the government at a price in excess of that which they otherwise would have sold the same and divided the proceeds among themselves, they were guilty as indicted. The jury, he said, could find the defendants guilty as to each count in the indictment, or acquit them as to some, and find them guilty as to others and a verdict of not guilty could be found as to one or more of them.

"But," he added, "before you can return a verdict of guilty, you must find that at least two of the defendants are guilty of the conspiracy charge, as charged in the indictment; that is to say, you cannot find one guilty and return a verdict of not guilty as to all the others."

He charged the jury not to be influenced by prejudice, or to be moved by sympathy.

"You should give these defendants a fair and impartial trial," he said, "according to the evidence as testified by the witnesses and the law as given to you by the court."

The case, he continued, should be tried on its merits, and without regard to what effect the verdict would have on the public mind. He concluded as follows:

"It is proper that the government shall prosecute all parties charged with crime, and the fact that the government may have employed special counsel in this case should not influence your minds one way or the other, and it is equally essential to the proper administration of the law that the defendants should be represented by counsel in the conduct of this trial, as it is that the government, through its counsel, should be permitted to present its contentions as to the issues that have been raised by the allegations contained in the indictment.

"I am sure, therefore, that when you come to decide this matter, you will consider solely the question as to whether or not the defendants are guilty, as charged in the indictment."

Justice Pritchard concluded his charge at 11 o'clock and after being out for eight minutes, the jury sent in what Justice Pritchard characterized as a remarkable and most unusual request. They desired the accounts of George E. Lorenz, the note for $25,000, all drafts, checks, warrants and statements of each of the defendants as well as the prayers and his charge. The jury was sent for and Justice Pritchard informed them he had decided, with the consent of counsel, to let them have the note and account book of Lorenz and such papers as bore on the note transaction. He said that to comply with the request in its entirety would amount to a retrial of the case. If they were in doubt about any part of the evidence, he said he would read it.

The jury returned to the jury-room, and at 3:15 o'clock, in response to a second request from Justice Pritchard, word was sent to him from the jury-room that an agreement had not been reached. At 3:20, Justice Pritchard adjourned court until tomorrow and went to his home, saying that he would hold himself subject to the call of the jury until 9 o'clock tonight. If they had not reached a verdict by that time they would have to be locked up.

GUILTY AS CHARGED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The jury in the postal case tonight found Machen, Lorenz and the two Groffs guilty as charged.

DEFENDANTS APPALLED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The jury had been out nine hours when it brought in the verdict. In the dimly-lighted room sat the four defendants, who, after the case was given to the jury, had been placed in the custody of a United States marshal and confined to the limits of the City Hall. Each wore an anxious look, and a death-like silence fell on the small crowd which had been permitted to enter the room as the clerk inquired of the foreman if a verdict had been reached. The jury to a man rose, and as the words "Guilty as indicted" fell from the foreman's lips, the defendants and their consel seemed appalled.

During the time the jury was out, the four defendants had paced up and down the hallway outside the court-room and had given expressions to the belief that each hour the jury spent in discussing the case brought them nearer to acquittal. There was general astonishment that the jury had included in the conviction Samuel A. Groff, a Washington policeman and inventor of the Groff fastener, as to whom Holmes Conrad, special counsel for the government, yesterday informed the jury he did not expect a conviction and that he personally did not believe in his guilt.

Five ballots in all were taken. On the first ballot, the vote stood 7 to 5 for conviction; on the second 8 to 4; on the third, 9 to 3; on the fourth, 10 to 2 and on the fifth the vote was unanimous.

Immediately after the verdict was rendered, Charles Douglass, in behalf of all four defendants, filed motions for a new trial, for an arrest of judgment and for an appeal for the purpose of having the defendants admitted to bail. Bail was then fixed at $20,000 each, the bond of Lorenz and the two Groffs being increased from $10,000.

When Maddox, in behalf of the Groffs, inquired as to the amount of bail to be required of them, Justice Pritchard said: "I know no difference between these defendants. The jury has said they are guilty, and I cannot discriminate, but will treat all alike."

Next to Samuel A. Groff, the most surprised man was Machen, who said he was thunderstruck at the verdict.

The four defendants will appear before Justice Pritchard tomorrow morning to receive sentence.

THE CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—SENATE—When the Senate met today Mr. Scott, from the Committee on Public Buildings, presented a report on the condition of the old Government Printing Office, saying that the condition of the walls was such that it was a menace to the lives of hundreds of government employés, and recommending that the building be torn down. The presentation of the report gave rise to a debate in which Messrs. Hoar, Gallinger, Scott and Allison participated. No action was taken on the report.

At the request of Mr. Beveridge, the Senate decided to devote next Thursday to the consideration of Alaskan legislation, and the calendar of general busines was taken up. Several bills were passed, among them being that providing for the confirmation of entries under the homestead laws, when made outside the land district in which the land is situated.

Mr. Hale said that, for this session, at least, the issue of general ship subsidy was dead. Other Senators participating in the discussion were Messrs. Daniel, Patterson, Lodge, Bacon, Perkins, Teller, Hoar, Hopkins and Carmack. The bill was amended, at the instance of Mr. McCumber, so as to provide that carriers under this bill should not make greater charges against the United States than against other customers, and then, at the suggestion of Mr. Allison, so as not to prohibit the use of ships owned by the government. Mr. Daniel suggested a provision to the effect that the charges by American vessels should not exceed by more than 10 per cent. the minimum bids of foreign vessels for carrying the same freight, but before a vote could be secured on the amendment, Mr. Carmack moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on Commerce. The vote resulted 12 to 30, no quorum.

Mr. Mitchell offered an amendment providing that the bill should not take effect until July 15, 1905. No action was taken before adjournment.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—HOUSE—Upon convening today, the attention of the House was directed toward the Orient by the chaplain, who said in his prayer that "disputes between nations of the earth may be settled by the peaceful methods of arbitration." The House went into committee of the whole, and resumed consideration of the Naval Appropriation Bill.

ROBERTS'S AMENDMENT LOST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Mr. Roberts's amendment was lost, 45 to 106, and Mr. Hill's amendment incorporating the language of the last appropriation act, authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to purchase submarine torpedo boats and providing for competition, but cutting the limit of the appropriation, was adopted by 91 to 59.

Mr. Livernash proposed an amendment, providing that no money paid out for construction under the bill shall be paid to any contractor until he has covenanted with the government that no laborer or mechanic shall be required to work over eight hours, a forfeit of $5 a day being provided for each man required to work beyond that time. Mr. Foss raised a point of order against the amendment.

THE FAR EAST.

(Continued from First Page.)

The latter, and not Kioto, will be again made the army and navy headquarters during the war.

More than thirty big transports are now at Ujina, which is the principal troop-embarking station, and an enormous mass of soldiers has been returned there.

RUSSIANS MAKE NEW TROUBLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PESHAWUR (India) Feb. 26.—It is reported that the Ameer's boundary pillars on the Afghan-Turkestan border have been destroyed by Russian agents.

STOPPED BRITISH STEAMER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ADEN (Arabia) Feb. 26.—A Russian torpedo-boat destroyer stopped and boarded the British Indian steamer Mommbassa in the Red Sea, February 22. The Mommbassa disregarded the first shot, but a second caused the liner to stop. A Russian officer boarded the Mommbassa and examined her papers, after which she was allowed to proceed.

GEN. KUROPATKIN'S DELAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—The Herald's correspondent sends the following:

ST. PETERSBURG, Friday.—The surprising and almost astounding latest news is that Gen. Kuropatkin will not go to the front, as was previously announced, in three days' time, but not for several weeks. The reason for this, he states, is that it is not worth while for him to go there until 400,000 Russian soldiers are gathered at the seat of war. In fact, he cannot take the offensive until that number is forthcoming.

I am told that the present force available, outside of the heavy contingent guarding the railroad, does not exceed 136,000 men.

Gen. Kuropatkin, it is remembered, was recently in Japan, where he rapidly formed a very high opinion of the efficiency of the Japanese troops. It may also be recollected that he belongs to the anti-war party. At a recent audience with the Emperor, Gen. Kuropatkin spoke very openly about the necessity of his having a large number of troops, and he is further credited having said: "Your Majesty will need me back soon to look after European developments," and very probably the key to this is given in the statement of a widely-known Russian international jurist, who says it is quite possible that Russia will wage war concerning the Thibetan question, but with Thibet the only ostensible cause to be used, in case England should make any move of too friendly a nature toward Japan.

DRIVING OF THE CORK.

TOKIO'S STORY OF BOTTLING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Japanese legation today gave out the following official dispatch from Tokio, dated February 26:

"Early in the morning of February 24, four old vessels, escorted by some torpedo boats were run into the entrance of Port Arthur for the purpose of blocking the mouth of the harbor. The object of sinking these vessels was attained, and the officers and crews returned safely.

"Although there is no report regarding our fleet direct from Admiral Togo, no doubt can be entertained as to its safety."

WASHINGTON'S ADVICES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Japanese Minister has received the following cablegram from the Japanese Minister for Foreign Affairs, dated Tokio:

"Before dawn on the 24th inst., four old ships, under escort of torpedo boats, proceeded to the mouth of the harbor of Port Arthur, where they were sunk with success in order to close it. The officers and crews of the vessels returned safely. No official report has as yet been received from the Admiral commanding the squadron, but there is no doubt that the squadron itself is all safe."

AS FAR AS TOKIO KNOWS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 26.—Vice-Admiral Togo's attempt to bottle up the Russian fleet at Port Arthur by sinking a fleet of stone-laden merchant steamers in the mouth of the harbor evidently failed, though the venture caused no loss of life and the vessels lost were not of great value. Five ships were prepared by Vice-Admiral Togo for the attempted blockade. Four are reported to have been sunk, but the fate of the fifth is unknown here. It is presumed that it withdrew with the other Japanese vessels. The five vessels were filled with stones, so as to make the obstruction permanent, and were manned by volunteer merchant crews. It was impossible to select naval officers and sailors on account of their great rivalry to participate in the daring venture.

Accompanied by four battleships, nine cruisers and numerous vessels of the torpedo flotilla, the stone-laden steamers reached Port Arthur Wednesday. While the fleet engaged the shore batteries, the steamers made a dash for the mouth of the harbor, directly under the Russian guns.

Details of the attack have not been received here, but it is evident that the Russian fire sank the steamers before they reached the points planned for their foundering by the Japanese. It is said that all of the crews of the four vessels escaped in boats, and were picked up by Japanese torpedo boats. The report that two of the torpedo-boat destroyers were sunk by the Russians is denied.

The Naval Department has received a brief dispatch from the commander of one of the torpedo-boat destroyers, saying that no lives and no warships were lost and that no damage was inflicted by the Russians. Pending the receipt of the official report of Vice-Admiral Togo the naval department declines to make any announcement regarding the affair.

The five merchant vessels which were prepared for sinking were the Jinsen Maru, 2331 tons; the Tientsin Maru, 2943 tons; the Hokoku Maru, 2776 tons; the Buyo Maru, 1169 tons and the Bushiu Maru, 1349 tons. Each carried five men, two steering and three firing and running the engines.

CHIP ON HIS SHOULDER.

JOHN BULL AND THIBET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Atlantic Cable.] Lord Hardwick, under secretary for India, in the House of Lords today, replying to the request of Lord Rea, (Liberal) for further information regarding the British mission to Thibet, said the government was determined to insist on a final settlement regarding the carrying out of the convention of 1880. The Thibetans had refused to have intercourse with Great Britain, but the result of their continual intercourse with Russia had been to inspire the Thibitans with a feeling that they had Russia behind them, and therefore they need not fear the British. This situation the Indian government and His Majesty's government could not tolerate for a moment.

While Lord Hardwick refused to pledge the government regarding the limit of Col. Younghusband's advance into Thibet, he said the mission was friendly and Col. Younghusband would do nothing to promote hostilities.

RED CROSS GETS READY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 26.—The Red Cross Society has ordered its Siberian agents to prepare 1,000,000 pounds of grain and large quantities of meat and sterilized milk. Reports have been received that spring is commencing in Southern Manchuria. The weather is warm and the ice on the rivers is expected to break up daily. In Northern Manchuria the rigors of winter are still unabated.

OFFICIAL JAPANESE ACCOUNT.

PORT ARTHUR OPERATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Japanese legation has received a cable dispatch from Tokio, under today's date, giving an account of the ineffectual attempt made by the Japanese to blockade the mouth of the harbor at Port Arthur, and also a brief account of the attack by the Japanese on Port Arthur yesterday morning. The text of the dispatch follows:

"Vice Admiral Kamimura reports on the 26 of February the following: According to the report from the torpedo boat flotilla, which was sent for the purpose of rescuing the crews of the steamers sent to block up the harbor at Port Arthur, the steamer Hokoku, on the left side of the entrance of the harbor near the lighthouse, and the steamer Bushiu, outside the entrance, were sunk purposely by the Japanese by explosion. The steamers Tenshin, Buyo and Jinsen sunk themselves on the east of the Lao Teshan. All the crews of the steamers were picked up in safety. Our destroyers and torpedo flotilla are unharmed. On the night of the 24th, our destroyers again went on a scouting cruise near Port Arthur, Dalny and Pigeon Bay.

"On the dawn of the 25th, our main squadron approached Port Arthur and bombarded the enemy's men-of-war about the forts from a distance. We saw the Novik, the Askold and the Bayan fleeing into the harbor, thus being apparent that the blocking operations had not much effect. Our squadron then fired into the harbor, and saw the flames and considerable smoke. We withdrew after fifteen minutes shelling. While our cruisers were thus engaged in firing we saw one of the enemy's torpedo boats destroyed. Our squadron received no damage. Vice-Admiral Togo is still on the scene."

CZAR TO AMERICANS.

Count Cassini, Russian Ambassador, has received from his government an exceedingly cordial dispatch in response to his message sent to St. Petersburg several days ago regarding the numerous offers of American doctors and nurses to give their services to the Russian army and navy in the Far Eastern war. The Ambassador is invited by his government to assure the Americans that His Majesty has been deeply touched with this renewed evidence of kindly spirit on the part of the Americans, and that although the government of the Emperor is profoundly appreciative of these offers, the overwhelming number of doctors and nurses in Russia will scarcely permit her to accept aid from other countries.

NOTABLE ARRIVALS.

THREE JAPANESE OFFICIALS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Three important Japanese arrived here on the Coptic from Yokohama. One is Heromich Shugio of Tokio, Japanese commissioner to the St. Louis Fair; another is Eli Hioki, first secretary of the Japanese legation at Washington, and the third is T. Sakurai, collector of the Port of Kobe, one of the most important commercial cities of the empire.

Speaking of Japan's exhibit at St. Louis, Shugio said: "It will be very much better and larger than the exhibit Japan had at the Chicago Fair. Japan appropriated $830,000 for the present exhibit. This increased interest and expenditure is an evidence of the cordial friendship of our country for the United States."

Hioki, the legation secretary has served his country at St. Peterburg, at Peking and at Seoul, Korea. He is now going on to take the place of Count Mutsu in Washington.

James W. Davidson, the newly-appointed consul at Antung, Manchuria, has arrived here en route to his post of duty. Davidson is one of two consular representatives selected by the President in compliance with the provisions of the new treaty between China and the United States.

PORTUGAL'S PREPARATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—M. Leiato of Lisbon, Portugal, an agent of his government, is in Chicago. He is on his way to Macao, China, the Portuguese port on the Southern coast and will sail from San Francisco. M. Leitao said: "My government is by no means alarmed by events in the Far East, but we wish to be prepared for contingencies as they may arise, and I am going out to make a report upon the condition of the colony for defense. Portugal is simply doing what England is doing at Hongkong and France in Tonquin—that is, putting things in order, so that if trouble is widespread in China we may be prepared."

NAVY DEPARTMENT SUSTAINS MARSHALL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Without waiting for any suggestion from St. Petersburg, though that has since come, and more than three days after the Navy Department cabled to the commander of the United States steamer Vicksburg, requesting an explanation of the facts connected with the reported refusal on his part to take aboard his ship sailors from the Russian warships sunk by the Japanese, from their knowledge of the United States naval regulations and from the comprehensive press reports as to what did occur at Chemulpo, the naval officers here have not the slightest hesitation in giving their unqualified approval of the course pursued by Capt. Marshall.

In the first place, it is understood here that it was not a matter of saving life. It is doubtful whether, if the men were drowning, an American warship could aid them before they had surrendered without violating international law. It is believed here that these men, who were in boats, could have landed, and only refrained from doing so because they feared to be captured by the Japanese soldiers of the town. Had Capt. Marshall received them aboard the Vicksburg, he must have taken them in as prisoners, for that was the status accorded them by the French and the British naval forces present. Therefore, as the Russian sailors would have been practically Japanese prisoners, in either case, whether they landed or whether they boarded the Vicksburg, the American captain is regarded as justified in declininig to receive them.

The following bulletin was posted at the Navy Department this afternoon: "A dispatch from Commander Marshall, commanding the United States steamer Vicksburg, states that he sent medical aid, as well as boats to the assistance of the Variag."

The cablegram is badly garbled, and the officials have not been able to fully translate it.

GUAM AND CABLE LANDING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26—At the Cabinet meeting today, the question of the landing of the Japanese cable on the island of Guam was considered. A proposition has been made by the government to go to the cable company on behalf of Japan to land a cable on the island of Guam, in order to connect Japan with the American cable at this point. Japan has two cable lines connecting it with the outside world. Both of them run from Nagasaki across the lower end of the Yellow Sea to Shanghai. If these cables should be cut by the Russians, Japan would be cut off from communication by cable with other countries.

The question of granting permission to the cable company to land its cable at Guam involves, to some extent, the neutrality of the United States in the pending Far Eastern conflict. Practically, it is understood, a decision has been reached that such permission could be granted without violating the terms of neutrality laid down by the United States in its proclamation. It seems not unlikely, however, that some conditions may be attached to the permission, if it should be granted. The question now is in the hands of Secretary Hay, and a determination of it probably will be reached very shortly.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIA TED PRESS—A.M.]

CHERBOURG, Feb. 26.—A strong contingent of French colonial troops is being organized for service in Indo-China.

FRANCE NO COMPULSORY ALLY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 26.—The French Foreign Office categorically denies the report published in a London paper that Korea having become the ally of Japan, under the Japanese-Korean treaty, France is thereby required to become the active ally of Rusia. The officials say the situation does not warrant such a conclusion, and add that the new treaty does not make the slightest change in the position of France.

RUSSIA'S GRAND DUKE GEORGE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CANNES, Feb. 26.—The Grand Duke George of Russia and his wife arrived today. There was loud cheering for Russia as they passed through the streets on the way to their hotel.

FOR SAIGON'S DEFENCES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 26.—It is said that the government will ask for the authority of Parliament to expend $2,000,000 in completing the defenses of Saigon, capital of French Cochin-China.

REPAIRED SHIPS AVAILABLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 26.—The Temps' St. Petersburg correspondent telegraphs that the Russian warships Poltava, Novik, Askold and Diana have completed the repairs necessary. He adds that all the ships damaged are now available for active service, and that the Vladivostok squadron makes frequent sortiest from that port, which remains open. Admiral Makaroff is expected to arrive at port Arthur about March 1.

HONGKONG-AMOY CABLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The Commercial Cable Company sends out the following notice: "We are advised that the Hongkong-Amoy cable is interrupted."

KNOCKED OUT JAPANESE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEFOO, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The commander of the Variag declares that at Chemulpo one Japanese cruiser withdrew afire, one cruiser was badly damaged, drifting hopelessly, and that one torpedo boat was sunk. Koreans fishing on the bar near the scene of the engagement state that they saw two Japanese boats sunk the next morning. The Japanese cut the tops off the funnels and masts of the sunken ships, leaving nothing visible above the water.

APPROVES LORD PLUNKET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—King Edward has approved the appointment of Lord Plunket as governor and commander-in-chief of New Zealand.

FLOTILLA AT PORT SAID.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORT SAID, Feb. 26.—The United States torpedo boat flotilla, escorted by the auxiliary cruiser Buffalo, left today on its way to Manila.

BOMBARDMENT COSTS MONEY.

Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars an Hour at Port Arthur.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—To bombard Port Arthur for sixty minutes with a fleet of four battleships and six armored cruisers, three protected cruisers and six torpedo boats represents a financial outlay of $350,000 by the Japanese government, according to a noted naval expert.

This fleet carries a total of 17 12-inch guns, 26 8-inch guns, 140 6-inch guns and 186 3-inch guns, besides numerous torpedo tubes and small guns. The 12-inch monsters can be fired every five minutes, while the 8-inch guns can be discharged every two minutes and the 6-inch guns in one-half of that time. The 3-inch guns can be fired every thirty seconds. Each 12-inch shell costs $215; an 8-inch, $127.50; 6-inch, $36; 3-inch, $6; Whitehead torpedo, $2500.

It is estimated that the cost of ammunition is always several times as much as the damage done to fortifications.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The French Foreign Office yesterday announced that a treaty of arbitration between France and Spain has been signed. The terms are identical with the recent treaties concluded between France and Great Britain and Italy and Great Britain.

Emperor William, it is now announced, will sail from Bremen March 12, for the Mediterranean, on the North German Lloyd stamer Konig Albert, the vessel being occupied exclusively by himself and suite.

A call has been issued for a meeting in Chicago, March 7, of leading opticians. An attempt will be made to form a combination of concerns controlling all patented appliances and improved lenses used in the trade. The prosecution of infringement cases has become a costly matter, and the manufacturers intend, it is said, to vest their rights in a corporation.

At St. Louis, in the Circuit Court, Judge Taylor granted a change of venue to Charles Krats, former member of the City Council, indicted on the charge of bribery in connection with the Suburban Street Railway franchise legislation.

Judge Sanborn, in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at St. Paul handed down an opinion which confirms the sentence of Nathan Levins of St. Louis to confinement in the penitentiary for five years for procuring hundreds of citrificates of naturalization from the St. Louis Court of Appeals by fraud to enable parties who were not entitled to citizenship to vote in that city.

Justice Gildersleeve, in the New York Supreme Court, denied the application of John MacGinnis to have continued the ex-parte injunction he recently obtained enjoining the Boston and Montana Copper Mining Company and the Farrott and Anaconda Company from paying money for dividends to the Amalgamated Copper Company and at the same time he vacated the injunction.

The will of Thomas D. Lowther, Chicago, as filed for probate, distributes an estate of $300,000 among Chicago institutions and individuals. Lowther, whose fortune was made in the real estate business, died a bachelor and had few immediate relatives.

On the charge of "cheating in class work," Fred Hall, the crack distance runner of the University of Chicago, has been suspended for the quarter and debarred from all athletic contests for the rest of the year. The accusation against him is that he copied a geological map from the work of another student.

Nearly twenty managers of Chicago theaters attended a secret meeting called for the purpose of forming a protective association. It has been decided to form a social and business organization similar to the one in New York. George Warren of McVickers was chairman of the meeting.

A fashionably-dressed young woman was choked almost to insensibility in a corridor of the Auditorium Hotel, Chicago, by a man who tried to rob her of her purse. Had it not been for the appearance of John V. Reddington, the telephone operator, the thief would have succeeded.

In order to settle a dispute between the executors of an estate of $50,000,000, the greater part of which was left to him by his uncle, five years ago, James Henry Smith of New York has applied to the Supreme Court for the appointment of a commissioner to determine the commission to which executors are entitled.

Secretary of War Taft, graduate of Yale, [illegible] to the Yale News that opportunities present themselves to college men in the Philippines. Yale law practices are in demand, engineers are in great demand, provincial supervisors are in demand, the engineering bureau of the government.

OBITUARY.

James Warden.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 26.—James Warden, aged 102 years, supposed to be the oldest expounder of Methodism in the world, is dead in the Baltimore almshouse. He was born in Ireland and licensed to preach in 1825, and traveled afoot over Pennsylvania and even into Pennsylvania. Two weeks ago he lost his mind, and, he said, through the ingratitude of a friend. He was committed to the refuge in the county [illegible] where he died.

William Dargie.

OAKLAND, Feb. 26.—William Dargie, Jr., son of W. E. Dargie, [illegible] of the Oakland Tribune, well known to a large circle of friends in this city and San Francisco, died suddenly at the family residence in Alameda. He had been failing in health for some time, and his untimely death followed shortly his return from a visit to Arizona, where he went in the hope of regaining his health, but in vain. Deceased was 31 years of age.

Miss Ruth Mohler.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 26.—[Special.] A telegram was received here today announcing the death of Miss Ruth Mohler, daughter of L. Mohler, president of the Railway and Navigation Company, at Saranac, N. Y. Miss Mohler had been sick with consumption several months and had been at Saranac in hopes of regaining her health. She was 19 years old.

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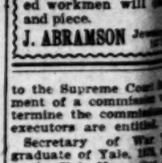

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to the Supreme Court for the appointment of a commission which shall determine the commissions to which executors are entitled.

Secretary of War Taft, a graduate of Yale, 1878, says in a letter to the Yale News that exceptional opportunities present themselves to college men in the Philippines. The law practices are to be built up, engineers are in great demand, provincial supervisors or assessors in the engineering bureau of the government.

OBITUARY

James Warden.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 26.—James Warden, aged 102 years, supposed to be the oldest expounder of Methodism in the world, is dead in the Baltimore almshouse. He was born in Ireland and licensed to preached in 1825. He traveled afoot over Baltimore and even into Pennsylvania. A few weeks ago he lost his memory, and he said, through the treachery of a friend. He was compelled to seek refuge in the county institution, where he died.

William Dargie.

OAKLAND, Feb. 26.—William Dargie, Jr., son of W. E. Dargie, editor of the Oakland Tribune Company, well known to a large circle of friends in this city and San Francisco, died suddenly at the family residence in this city this morning. He had been failing for some time, and his untimely death was not unexpected shortly his return from a trip to Arizona, where he sought health, proved in vain. Deceased was 21 years old.

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[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] While the opposition to the Governor Anti-Injunction Bill was voiced by able speakers before the House Committee of Judiciary on a proposition for an eight-hour law upon government contract was emphatically turned down by the House of Representatives on numerous and distinct occasions. Including the eight-hour proposition tacked to the naval appropriation bill was a surprise to everybody. Finally, that portion of the naval bill providing for the payment of labor for work done upon warships being constructed was under consideration, Representative Hilborn of California presented an amendment, providing that the appropriation carried by that paragraph should be paid to the contractor who agrees that his employés should work more than eight hours per day on that work. The usual provision was made for a penalty of $5 per day for every man who worked

Representative Foss, chairman of the Naval Committee, promptly made a point of order against the amendment on the ground that it would change existing law. Mr. Livernash waived his point, contending that the amendment could specify that no part of the appropriation should be paid to firms lacking certain qualifications. Representative Olmsted of Pennsylvania who was in the chair, held the amendment in order. Mr. Livernash then made a plea for the adoption of his amendment. He said the eight-hour bill had been held up by senate in former Congresses after the House was late in consenting to it, and he wanted to make the Senate "show its guilty hand." Representative Payne, of New York, the Republican leader, said the adoption of the amendment would amount to a revolution of government contracts. "I must stand for any such proposition," he declared.

The amendment was defeated, on a roll call, by 87 to 110.

Then Representative Hughes of New Jersey proposed as an amendment providing contracts for new ships; also, that work shall require that a eight-hour should operate under the eight-hour law. This action was severely criticised by many members of the House, as Mr. Hughes is a member of the committee on labor, which has an eight-hour bill under consideration, hearings on which are nearly completed. The New Jersey man's a new appointee on that committee, and, in the opinion of many persons, was not justified in proposing such legislation without having both sides of the matter in mind and awaiting the report of the committee thereon. Mr. Hughes's explanation of his hasty action was this:

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"I acted as though the hearing on the eight-hour bill before our committee will be interminable. There will not be much time for a consideration of the measure in the Senate, and if it passed the House this session in view of the proposed early adjournment."

The effect of this plea, Hughes's amendment was ruled out on a point of order as new legislation, made by Representative Foster of Vermont, also a member of the Committee on Labor.

On other occasions, Mr. Livernash proposed an eight-hour rider, slightly in form, but it was voted down by the chairman, on a point of order. There was no doubt that the House disapproved of these attempts to slip the eight-hour bill through, and it is pointed out tonight that the cause of labor was not benefited.

Owing to the Anti-Injunction bill an important victory to labor, securing an extension of the time that measure, March 23 was named for that purpose by the committee on Judiciary. There were many requests for time to be heard all over the country that finally was forced to yield, whether able to it or not. Practically every member of the committee received letters and telegrams from manufacturers, business men, labor and employers generally, who had not had time enough to state their objections to the bill.

W. Job of Chicago, who was the first the measure Thursday morning of various Illinois employers' associations and citizens' alliances, presented a batch of communications from citizens in Alton, East St. Louis and other points in Illinois, all asking for action by the committee. Daniel Davenport, who represented the Builders' Exchange Council of Chicago, presented a committee of requests for time to be given him by shipping and other interests in Boston and elsewhere. The feature of today's hearing was the address by John Galloway, a manufacturer, of Dayton, O., who denounced the Anti-Injunction Bill as the spokesman for the non-union laboring men. He also represented the "moderate" wing of an organization composed of employers and employés, who were working for their mutual benefit. He told about a strike in a factory where he had been employed twenty-seven years. The strike, he said, agreed on by the union, was for nine, instead of ten hours, and an increase of 10 per cent in wages. Galloway reported his demands to the proprietor of the concern, who promised to grant

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the demands. Later, however, upon a demand that the shop be unionized, that non-union men be thrown out and that the number of apprentices be reduced, the employer refused. Then the union struck. Galloway said he was approached by the strike committee and told he must join them.

GOT THEIR ANSWER.

"I told them," said he to the committee, "that they ought to change their tone; that I was an American citizen whom they could not make do anything. I said: 'You can make this shop a union establishment if your strike succeeds and you can scare me into the street, so that I will starve to death, but I would rather starve than join your union, for I believe that it would be wrong, as it's an unlawful organization, intending to commit violence and crime.'"

After that, Galloway said he was let alone. He then said an injunction was obtained to prevent lawless acts of the strikers and that the strike was lost, the union men returning to work unconditionally. After that, they practically all left the union, when their wages were voluntarily increased by the employer.

In response to questions from Representative Powers of Massachusetts, Galloway discussed the question of apprentices. He said that the machinist's union insisted there should not be more than one apprentice to every fifty workmen, whereas in the shop he works in there was one apprentice to ten machinists. The more apprentices there are, he said, the greater number of expert workmen there will be.

"If union conditions prevail?" asked Galloway, "what will become of the American boy? He will be excluded from many trades, practically, because the labor union leaders want to restrict the supply of labor, as well as the output of goods."

Later, Galloway said: "For my part, I cannot see why labor unions should prove such a bugaboo to our people. They constitute only fifteen per cent. of the total number of workmen; the other eighty-five per cent. being non-union men, who can sell their labor where and under what conditions they please. It is these men who will be ground between the upper and the nether mill stones if this bill becomes a law. It will mean either we shall have to sacrifice our American manhood and dignity or submit to being driven from work."

Referring to the fact that union men do not hesitate to cause non-unionists to lose their jobs, whereas they object to having non-members of their own organization fill their own places, Galloway said, addressing himself to the labor representatives present:

"If I am to be barred out of your factory, common manhood and decency demand you keep out of my shop. Although I am not a member of a labor union, I have as nice a home as anybody in this country, which I would not exchange for President Roosevelt's place. My family are getting along nicely, even if they do not have every luxury in life."

"BLEEDING COLORADO."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—"Colorado has literally been 'bleeding Colorado,' owing to what has taken place there in the last ten years," said J. C. Craig, president of the Citizens' Alliance of Denver, in an address today before the House Judiciary Committee, in opposition to the conspiracy bill.

Craig was the first speaker at today's hearing. He devoted his time to a discussion of labor troubles in the State. He recounted the various clashes between the unions and the mine operators, which he, declared, was attended by violence and abuses on the part of the miners of such a nature that the newspapers of the State were unable to publish the assaults. He told of many lives being lost through plots, which, he said, had been proved conclusively against the union. Union men, he said, had rolled kegs of dynamite into shaft houses where men were working; cables were extended from elevators to loaded revolvers placed where they would explode into deposits of dynamite when the elevator was moved, and many other such plots caused dweath among non-union mine workers.

The Citizens' Alliance was formed to take action against such assaults and the organization grew to a membership of 14,000. Injunctions were then obtained, and "then and only then," said Mr. Craig, "were we able to operate mines without daily fear of mine horrors brought about by diabolical scheming against the lives of men who worked against the wishes of the union."

Craig spoke also of injunctions obtained by the unions against the alliance, which, he said, were not opposed by the alliance. After the settlement of the strike by mutual agreement, all of the injunctions were dissolved.

"No convictions of any persons participating in the assaults have been obtained," said Craig.

When asked for reasons for the failure to convict, he said he believed it due to the sympathy of the police, recruited from the ranks of labor, who must return to their old vocations when they lose their positions at changes of administration. In conclusion, he said his association favored giving them the same freedom in passing upon questions of antagonism to labor.

"We had a member of Congress who had the courage of his convictions in regard to right and wrong, and he resigned when he thought he was in the wrong. We are not against labor organizations, but we are eternally against lawlessness."

John Galloway of Dayton, O., representing the non-union employés, told of experiences in his city and the strike there.

"I am a machinist," said Mr. Galloway, "and an actual worker, and I want to say that all of the workingmen are not in favor of this anti-injunction bill."

HELL IN A FREE COUNTRY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Charles F. Waltz of Cincinnati was heard in the afternoon. He represents the Employers' Association of that city, comprising twenty-two trade organizations, having a membership of 3500, and the National Citizens' Association. Waltz declared that the labor organizations were maintaining a lobby in Washington to further the passage of the bill, while the employing interests of the whole country were aroused to defeat the measure. It was, he said, class legislation of the rankest kind. He declared that it was impossible to compel labor to keep the laws or prevent them from making a hell out of a free country. They strike, he said, primarily for the recognition of the union. The committee, he said, could not afford to pass such tyrannical measures.

Waltz declared that the courts of the country long ago had awakened to the fact that there was anarchy in the country and he appealed to the committee not to rob them of the power they now have to suppress it.

Further hearings will occur March 22 and 23.

Martial Law at Telluride.

DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 26.—It was announced today that martial law at Telluride will be continued indefinitely. Gov. Peabody had prepared an order abrogating martial law there, but it has been canceled owing to the threats of exiled strikers to return.

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The public has responded very liberally to this Anniversary Sale. We've established new records. Monday morning this sale started off with the vim and life which characterizes all "Broadway" sales, but we've reserved our greatest efforts for the finals, and for today every department manager offers one or more special lines of seasonable merchandise at prices that range uncomfortably close to the cost mark. Every item featured in this advertisement is at a special price, but all of the special priced merchandise is not advertised; in fact, some of the strongest, most attractive values will get no mention in these columns. Come to our store today expecting some of the greatest bargains we've ever offered to the purchasing public.

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This Morning From 8 till 10 a. m.

This morning between the hours of 8 and 10 we will give to every child visiting our store who is accompanied by either parent or guardian a dissected map of the United States, measuring 7x11 inches; these are printed in colors and neatly boxed; they retail all over the country at 25c each and are not only amusing but decidedly instructive, giving a child a splendid idea of the geography of the United States; they are absolutely free from 8 until 10 this morning.

$2.00 Auto and Carriage Bags $1.39

Square auto bags and the new carriage bags also the popular long narrow shapes in black, brown, gray and blue; made from genuine leathers lined with silk; fitted inside with card cases and coin purses; either chain or leather handles; sold everywhere at $2.00; Anniversary Sale price today at $1.39.

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Mohair skirt braid; colors only; worth 5c; today per roll **2c**

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White pearl buttons; 6 different sizes; either two or four holes; today per dozen **5c**

Hose supporters, of plain or fancy elastic; good colors; sizes for women, misses or children; today per pair **10c**

"Hook-On" hose supporters for women; black and all colors; today per pair **25c**

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Women's $12 Jackets $3

A good assortment of women's box and three-quarter length coats and jackets; made from plain gray and brown zibeline, others of melton and kersey; trimmed with stitched bands of velvet and pearl buttons; come early if you're interested, as they will go with a rush; good seasonable weights; values as high as $12.00. Anniversary Sale price each $3.00.

Child's $7.48 Coats $3.98

Children's medium weight coats made from mixed materials with capes and stole effects; prettily trimmed with fancy braids and pipings of velvet; large puffed sleeves; a good range of sizes; splendid values at the regular prices up to $7.48. Don't overlook this opportunity, as it means money saving to you. Anniversary Sale price ea. $3.98

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Winsome New Spring Hats

The smartest styles, the best designed and most cleverly executed ideas in spring millinery at the very smallest price. Fresh, new lot ready for today in walking styles and trimmed effects; close fitting models mostly; blacks and the colors that are most desirable for early use; stunning, new affairs priced for Anniversary Sale today at $5.98, $4.98 and..... **$3.98**

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Bunches of Lily-of-the-valley specially priced for today at **10c**

Children's straw hats, two sample lines just opened; new and practical shapes made from new straw braids and tastefully trimmed in pretty, novel ways; special numbers for today at $1.48, $1.25 and..... **98c**

Handsome New White Waists $1.98

Of Mexican Drawn Work.....

15 dozen new white waists, made from special quality material; a weight between a lawn and a madras; plaited front and back; entire front of open Mexican drawn work in assorted designs; identical in style with the $6.00 and $7.50 waists; all sizes up to 44; today each $1.98.

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Fine peau de soie silk waists lined throughout; heavily embroidered front; exceptionally dainty and desirable; good colors; specially priced for today at each $4.98.

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Women's muslin drawers made from extra quality materials full cut; open or closed styles; some embroidery trimmed with fagoting; others with wide flounce and cluster of tucks; these identical garments have been sold in town as a leader at 35c; today as many pairs as you want, per pair..... **25c**

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Venice lace collars in cream and ecru; good size; choice patterns; excellent values up to 75c; Anniversary Sale price each 35c.

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All silk ribbons, satin foules and satin taffetas; best of colors, including white and black; widths up to 5 inches; 35c values; today, per yard..... **25c**

Fancy ribbons, in stripes and figures; combinations of the most desirable colors; widths up to 6 inches; 25c and 35c values; Anniversary Sale price, per yard..... **19c**

25c Wash Stocks 2 for 25c

A good assortment of stylish wash stocks; white and colors; faggot stitch effect; new models; excellent values at 25c; today only two for 25c or each 15c.

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Chi-Namel will restore old furniture to its original beauty, suitable for all sorts of interior finish, including floor; all colors, suitable for all woods; this morning we give away about 200 sample cans; come early if you want one; while they last they are free.

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Heavy sateen comforts, filled with pure white sanitary cotton; full size measuring 72x84 in.; good corded edges; regular $4.00; today each $3.00.

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BUSINESS.

The Large number of visitors in the city has contributed to a successful season for retail dealers in all lines and collections are reported by wholesalers as improved.

The urgent demand for wheat caused an advance in May and July, and despite general selling, May closed at 107⅞ and July at 96⅝. Corn and oats were weak. An attempt was made to carry the rally in prices of stocks still further at New York, but only slight gains were established, and the close showed losses of about a point on the active stocks for the day.

PRICE AND POSTAGE.

The following table shows the price of the Midwinter Number when sold at The Times office. The edition will be for sale at city news stands as well as out-of-town news agencies, wrapped ready for mailing. The postage will be 5 cents per copy, if news sheets are included, and 4 cents per copy without the news sheets.

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A SERIOUS EVIL.

"He that teacheth not his child a trade, it is the same as if he taught him to be a thief," says the Talmud. The aphorism is as true today as when it was written some centuries ago. It is a self-evident truth brought down from the ages, and it is as directly applicable to the conditions of today as if it were a newly-discovered truth, born out of the exigencies of the present time.

One of the numerous evil practices of later-day trade-unionism is that of attempting to exclude from the privileges of equal opportunity and equal citizenship a certain percentage of the young men of today by virtually refusing them the right to learn a trade. The rules of nearly all the unions, if not of all, place a limit upon the number of apprentices that shall be employed, relative to the number of journeymen employed. This limitation is often unreasonable; in fact, it is always unreasonable, because in making such regulations and trying to enforce them the unions are exceeding the "sphere of influence" that might be conceded to them if their aims and methods were legitimate.

Such regulations as those referred to are clearly against the public good, and are as clearly opposed to the principles upon which our government is founded. They are against the public good because the public good demands that each individual of the community, so far as practicable, shall become self-sustaining, so as to bear his due and proportionate share of the burdens and responsibilities of citizenship. Individuals who are not self-sustaining are necessarily a burden, in one form or another, which must be borne by the community, or by those individuals of the community who are self-sustaining.

Such regulations are opposed to the fundamental principles of our government, because one of the first of those principles requires that every individual shall have equal opportunities, equal privileges, equal immunities and equal rights before the law. When one person is allowed to learn a certain trade and another person is refused that right, the spirit of the fundamental law is flagrantly violated and its intent thwarted.

Back of these efforts of unionists to limit the opportunities of other men is a most selfish and sordid spirit. While professing to have at heart the good of labor (in an abstract sense,) they deliberately seek to shut the door of opportunity against large numbers of young men; and in proportion as they succeed in this object, the young men are driven into vagabondage and crime. The aim of unionists is to create a labor monopoly, of which they shall be the beneficiaries; to bring to a favored few, comprised in their organizations, advantages which they seek to deny to the great body of independent workers outside of their organizations. When they speak of advancing and upholding "the cause of labor," they mean only union labor, not labor in any true and catholic sense.

For years, unionists have been able to deceive the public, and to gain sympathy to which they were not justly entitled, by a deliberate system of false pretensions regarding their purposes and methods. The eyes of the public have been opened to the extent and the enormity of these deceptions. The truth is at last becoming apparent, and people are coming to understand that the would-be monopolists of labor-unionism are no more entitled to public support and toleration than are any other class of men who seek to secure for themselves undue and unfair advantages at the expense of other men.

THE CHICAGO OF THE SOUTHWEST.

The felt factory of Alfred Dolge, at the new Dolgeville in the San Gabriel Valley, is likely to be only a beginning in the new manufacturing line at that point. Statements that have been published in The Times of late, regarding the advantages offered by this section for manufacturing purposes, have aroused much interest among manufacturers in the East. As mentioned recently, a large Eastern manufacturer of pianos has been looking over the ground and is not unlikely to locate here. More recently the owner of a knitting mill in New York State has written to Mr. Dolge, asking his advice in regard to the idea of moving his entire plant to that place. He says:

"It seems to me that the time has come when the Pacific Slope should make its own knit underwear. You raise the wool, send it East at an expense of two cents per pound, and then it is sent back at a cost per dozen for carriage of about fifty cents. Add to this the freight on the wool and you have a California mill with a protective tariff of at least seventy-five cents per dozen.

"It would seem to me that cotton from Texas, Oklahoma or New Mexico should cost no more at your town than in the East. Thus California should carry no handicap as far as raw material is concerned.

"As for labor, you know whether it can be had as cheap as in the East. You must bear in mind this fact, that knitting mill employés are better paid here than are any other class of textile operatives.

"Canada, with a population of about 7,000,000 and a protective tariff of thirty-five per cent., makes all of her own knit underwear and uses the product of over 100 sets of cards, besides many mills that use yarns which are bought of yarn spinners.

"The States of Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Washington, Oregon and California, together with Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Oklahoma and New Mexico have a population of about 4,000,000, and it seems to me that potentially these 4,000,000 are equal to the seven of Canada."

From now on we may expect to see these manufacturing propositions in Southern California increasing rapidly. Our population is assuming proportions that enables it to offer a fair local market for manufactured products. Then, we have the great and growing Southwest, from Utah on the north to Mexico on the south, all of which section will look more and more to Los Angeles as its commercial headquarters. The combined advantages of mild climate, high railroad rates on Eastern manufactured goods, and freedom from labor disturbances must inevitably bring to this section an ever-increasing number of manufacturing industries, so that a few years from now even the horticultural industry will have to take a back seat, so far as the value of the output is concerned. It may grieve many lovers of the beautiful to see the bright atmosphere of the Land of the Afternoon disfigured by volumes of black smoke from factory chimneys, and its restfulness disturbed by throbbing machinery, but by substituting more cleanly electric power for engines and fuel, these drawbacks may be obviated. In any case, it is manifest destiny that Los Angeles is becoming more and more the Chicago of the Southwest—let us hope, without the gross evils that are so rampant in that large and wicked city. Watch the development of the great Southwest.

LIBRARY BONDS VETOED.

Acting Mayor W. M. Bowen, in returning to the Council without his approval the resolutions providing for a bond issue of $250,000 for a public library, and one of $50,000 for additions to the city jail building and site, has given some very good reasons for his action—reasons which appear to be conclusive.

It is extremely doubtful if these proposed issues would meet with public approval if submitted to the people. The proposed issue for a public library would be, the acting Mayor says, inadequate for purchasing a site and erecting thereon a suitable library building, such as the city should build if it builds at all. There are grave objections to the erection of a library building in Central Park, and the legal right of the city to do so is, to say the least, extremely doubtful.

The present bonded indebtedness of the city is about $5,000,000. There is in addition, outstanding but unsold, an issue of $400,000 for storm drains. A further issue of $337,500 is contemplated for the purchase of the West Side Water Company's plant, besides $150,000 for the construction of an impounding reservoir and $50,000 for a detention hospital. These proposed issues, if approved, in addition to the storm-drain bonds, would add $937,500 to the city's bonded indebtedness, raising the total to nearly $6,000,000.

It is clear that the time has come to call a halt in this matter of adding to the city's bonded indebtedness. The question of present interest is as to just where we shall draw the line. Not on the storm-drain bonds, certainly. The plan broached some time ago to cancel those bonds received little support, while it met with very strong opposition, and deservedly so. The storm drains are a necessity, the people have approved the bonds for building them, and there will probably not be much difficulty in marketing them. The outfall-sewer bonds would probably have failed to carry had they not been submitted in conjunction with the storm-drains proposition, and the storm drains should be built as a matter of good faith as well as a matter of public expediency.

The proposed bonds for acquiring the West Side plant and those for building an impounding reservoir, while they will add to the total of the city's bonded indebtedness, will not add a penny to the burdens of taxpayers, as they will be taken care of, principal and interest, by the water revenues. Under these circumstances, the water bonds will doubtless be approved at the polls. The purchase of the West Side plant will complete municipal ownership of the water-distributing system in the city, and will give to all sections of the city uniform water rates. The voters will hardly be so shortsighted as to refuse authorization of these bonds, as the property to be acquired will in reality cost the city nothing.

Although a public-library building would be a desirable consummation, the need for it is by no means so pressing as is that for the practical public improvements above referred to. The city might put up a very serviceable addition to the City Hall, on the vacant lot adjoining the site on the north, which would answer all requirements for some years to come. A moderate issue of bonds for that purpose would probably receive public approval. But when the city erects a library building it should build for the future, not merely for the present. An adequate library building and site would cost from $350,000 to $450,000. Such an expense is not to be thought of at present, and will not be practicable for some years.

Time will doubtless show that Mr. Bowen has acted wisely in vetoing the proposed library-bond issue of $250,000. As we have said, it is time to call a halt, and the acting Mayor seems to have hit upon the right place at which to call it.

The war in the Far East has caused a rapid advance in the price of camphor, and this with the spring season not far distant. Verily, 'tis an ill wind that blows nobody good—and the festive moth is doubtless looking forward to an exceptionally prosperous season.

No reports were received from San Francisco as to the wonderful enthusiasm prevailing at the annual Iroquois Club meeting over the candidacy of William R. Hearst. Can it be possible that the longest grapevine in the world was not working?

As The Times has said before, Los Angeles needs a better place for its library than it now has, but it will be better to wait a little longer before having such place than to select a wrong site or provide inadequately for its construction.

Southern California Japs expect to send $100,000 to the Mikado's war fund by August 31. It might be well to advance the date, inasmuch as it has been officially announced by the contending nations that the war will be ended by August.

The pictures of Gen. Stoessel, who is in command of Port Arthur, show him to be slightly more bald-headed than John D. Rockefeller. If he is only half as long-headed, however, there will be no question about the finish of the Japs.

The digging of the Panama Canal is a big undertaking, but if Senator Morgan can be induced to devote as much energy to that part of the work as he did in talking against the treaty, the proposition will be greatly simplified.

That "very shrewd Democratic politician" who has picked dear old Adlai for winner in the Democratic National Convention, is certainly shrewd, in so far as he declines to have his name mentioned.

It is now asserted that crows in Indiana, deprived of their usual food supply by the long and hard winter, are attacking live stock. But perhaps the marauders are not as black as they are painted.

If Uncle Sam concludes to annex Santo Domingo, a lot of the natives who have had difficulty in finding enough fighting to satisfy them will cease to have any such trouble.

It is said that in Italy those who spread fake war news are sent to jail. How nice it would be if the Italian plan could be applied to the Orient during the present unpleasantness.

What a traveler the parasite of the Mediterranean fruit fly must be. George Compere is now chasing it the second time around the world and he hasn't caught it yet!

Mr. Easterner, how do you like the weather we have had in Los Angeles the last two days? Don't you think the goods are all that we advertise them to be?

The Democratic candidate for President is likely to be a dark horse, and his chances for election seem in a fair way to harmonize in the color scheme.

It would seem that the Siberian army sutlers are making hay while the sun shines. The sutler follows the flag whether anything else does or not.

Roaring flames and frozen water mains make a very disastrous combination of circumstances, as the people of Rochester, N. Y., can testify.

Some of the foreign newspapers have expressed a dislike for our Secretary Hay, but we will not dismiss him until we get all the details.

Present prospects are that "the open door" in Korea and Manchuria will be closed up and sealed pretty tight for some time to come.

A clerk in the quartermaster's office at Fort Sheridan has been discharged because he refused to spell "routing" with an "e" and protested against having his spelling changed. And then he had a bad mad spell, as he had a right to have.

If the Japanese could capture the Russian general Pflug, they might be able to use him in the work of bottling up Port Arthur.

The City Council has voted to refurnish the Mayor's office. It will not be entirely refitted, however, until the next election.

The flank attack of the Japanese on the Russians looks like an attempt to get some bear meat for breakfast.

We feared it! Capt. Richmond Hobson is beginning to talk about Japan's Merrimac tactics at Port Arthur.

"In union there is strength." A union railway station would stimulate the growth of Los Angeles.

Among other things you should be glad that you are not an eastern fire insurance company.

If war is really hell, the world seems at present to be having just that sort of a time.

Perhaps, after all, the potency of the prayers for rain has not been exhausted.

Port Arthur seems anxious to become the Ladysmith of the present war.

Rochester, N. Y., also will have to buy a new asbestos curtain.

THE WAR POET AND KOREA.

My balky muse doth quite refuse
To sing a song of Eastern battle
In saw-tooth word, which seen or heard
Would make Pegasus' harness rattle.
We are not halted long by "Seoul,"
For surely anyone would know it,
That this will plainly rhyme with "fool,"
The kind of fool that is a poet.
I tear in shreds the dictionary,
I cannot find a mate for "Yalu"
Nor for "Tooman" its tributary.
If I should use, for mere abuse,
These words of wild and jagged orthography
I'd have to fight, or take to flight,
Cursing my knowledge of geography.
Hwang-iu, Kil-iu, Sak-ju and Ham-heung,
Sam-cchok, Pin-yang, and then Pe-chi-li,
Was ever such a language sung
Or whispered in love-accents, really?
Oh, kindly wipe it off the map,
This Young-heng, Man-yun, Byong-jeu nation.
Such language must enrage the Jap,
And cause the Russian desperation.
Surely it is a "causus belli."
For anyone to speak or spell ye.

L. V. C.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE. Costume running riot to the extreme of unique and beautiful design, choral magnificence developed to the Nth degree of fetchingness, scenic absurdity raised to a new limit of foolishness, comedy of the finest twenty-year vintage—these, with the envied "all-star" roster of names, comprise the winning attractions of the Weber and Fields show which opened its engagement before congregated fashion last night.

"Whoop-Dee-Doo" is as much of a "creation" as all of the Weberfields "funning," and contains the usual varied assortment of songs, choral numbers, dialogues and scenes full of ludicrous business. It is in several "whoops," presenting a long evening full of entertainment, and serves to display to the fullest the varied talents of the well-known aggregation of "gloom dispersers" responsible for it.

For its class, the company of its kind now at the Grand Operahouse is undoubtedly the best in the profession. Weber and his partner, Fields, left New York recently because business was so bad that there was nothing in it for them during the close of the season. While not wishing New Yorkers any evil, Angelenos are doubtless glad that business was bad in that quarter.

There have been choruses and choruses in Los Angeles, but from the artistic and pictorial point of view, no such chorus as the pretty "Whoopers" who made their appearance last evening. Costume effects have evidently been studied out by a person whose sense of the esthetic is great. There are girls short, girls tall, and girls plumply-sized into a convenient middle list, and they are dressed in a manner to feast the most discriminating eye.

Naturally, the most interest last night centered in Joseph M. Weber, Lew M. Fields and Lillian Russell. Lillian Russell!—there's a name to conjure with yet, though she no longer chooses to have it printed in the biggest type on the bill. She seems really to have the evanescent secret of feminine perenniality—you wouldn't believe that her daughter is a college graduate and married. That daughter had best not live at home, or hubby may some day elope with his sprightly and beautiful mamma-in-law. Just as she used to look, she looks now—there is the same suggestion of bright youth in her face and eyes and gestures, and the same winsomeness that brought audiences to her feet years ago. If anything, the seasons have carried just a softening touch to her face that has added another charm all its own. Her voice is not so strong as when she sang in "La Cigale," but its owner uses it with careful discrimination that makes it still beautiful and sweet. Between the studied restraint of the Russell voice and the gasping efforts of Patti to send forth the ringing dramatic thrill that once had charmed—what a difference, with the credit balance all on the Russell side.

Weber and Fields created their peculiar form of German comedy. They are its pioneers, they made it to suit themselves, and through them or younger men playing after them the Weber-Fields productions have become famous all over the United States. In this performance they appear as a couple of guileless Germans in Paris for an investment and a possible good time while they are looking for it. They fall out of an airship at the start, and after this sensational entrance they become proprietor and bell boy of a hotel, respectively, do a living picture stunt in a "Dying Gladiator" pose, and make themselves generally ridiculous. Rough comedy with them is elevated into an art—an art so excruciatingly funny that there were doubtless many sore ribs after they had left the stage for the final exit last evening.

Louis Mann takes the other German comedy role, and is almost equally laughable with Weber and Fields. Then there is that excellent funmaker, Peter F. Dailey, and John T. Kelly, laboring under the handicap of a bad cold. Mabel Fenton is another co-star with Lillian Russell, and with her husband, Charles J. Ross, is a whole show in herself.

After the scenes of the first "whoop" a burlesque on "Catherine" was presented. Annie Russell's play is turned into clever travesty by these winning burlesquers.

Last night's audience stretched from almost beyond the footlights to the front of the Natick House, where the last of the stragglers were lined up in rows watching their more fortunate brethren and sisters going and coming from the playhouse.

"Whoop-De-Doo" will be presented again this afternoon's matinee, and tonight, which performance will close the engagement.

DEATH OF E. H. MOORE.

Pennsylvania Veteran Who Fought Under Gen. McClellan Expires in This City.

Edward Hicks Moore died yesterday at his home at No. 511 West Twenty-third street, this city, aged 60. He was born in Little Britain, Lancaster county, Pa., and when only 18 enlisted in the Civil War. He served for two years under Gen. McClellan and until the close of hostilities.

He removed to Idaho in 1867 where he was twice elected to the State Legislature. He was postmaster of Silver City for ten years, and treasurer of Owyhee county for four years. In 1878 he married Frances S. Stuart who, with their two sons, Raymond C. and Chester B., survive him. In 1893 he retired from business and with his family came to Los Angeles for the benefit of his health.

CITIES AND THEIR MANAGEMENT.

The Times will offer to its readers tomorrow the first of a series of papers on the municipal undertakings of Great Britain from the pen of Frederick Upham Adams, the creator of "Col. Monroe and His Doctrine," and author of "John Burt," "The Kidnaped Millionaires" and other well-known books and essays. The government of our great cities and the eradication of the curses of bribery and favoritism occupy first places among the problems demanding attention and solution at the hands of the millions of citizens who populate our great commercial centers. Mr. Adams has long been a student of these conditions and is peculiarly fitted for the work he has selected.

Those who have read "Col. Monroe's Doctrine" and other writings need not be assured of the literary excellence of this series of articles. The author takes his readers with him, and together they study the real Englishman of today; admiring his progress, smiling at his follies and protesting at that national taint of stupidity which he fondly imagines to be conservatism.

England is, Mr. Adams believes, facing the most momentous crisis in the history of modern nations. Her commercial, manufacturing and political existence is directly menaced, he declares, by relentless outside rivals and by the inertia of a stolid internal stupidity. The alert statesmen of all countries are eagerly watching her next moves on the world's chess boards and unless signs are misleading a commercial war is pending of most stupendous magnitude, and one from which the United States cannot reasonably hope to escape unscathed.

The initial paper is largely devoted to a description of England's remarkable railway system, with a word painting of certain peculiarities of the world's metropolis.

HIGH PRICES IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Practically all foodstuffs except eggs have reached extremely high prices in this city, owing largely to unfavorable weather. Fish, clams, oysters and lobsters are most affected. Oysters have never been so scarce, none coming to the market except from the Providence River beds. Lobsters, which have been growing [illegible] years, are now hardly [illegible] There is a fairly ample [illegible] and haddock, but the free[illegible] is, fish not frozen and [illegible] considerable distance—[illegible] tatoes, beans, cabbage, [illegible] and other vegetables are [illegible] they have been for years. [illegible] rolls are being raised in [illegible] of the city. In the [illegible] section, where lentil [illegible] beans and potatoes are [illegible] of food, the peddlers, even, [illegible] their prices a couple of [illegible] article sold.

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"TWEENTIMES."

By E. A. Brininstool.

FARMING BY MAIL.

The University of California is to set[illegible] A correspondence school of farming, by [illegible] all agricultural pursuits will be taught [illegible] mail.—[News Item.

Why roughen up your tender hands
And wear a coat of horrid tan,
And stump about in cowhide boots
A la the ideal farmer man?
Why toil away in rain and sun,
And all this drudgery entail,
When you, for just a trifling sum,
Can learn the farmer's art by mail?

Why get out on a sweltering day
And hoe the beets or weed the corn?
Why chase a plow about the lot,
Or feed the pigs at night and morn?
Why hunt the cows, and idly sit
Astride a stool and fill your pail,
When you can learn the gentle art
Of doing all these things by mail?

Why fret about your winter wheat,
And wonder if you'll get a crop?
Why tramp down to the wood lot, and
With calloused fingers hack a chop?
Why have to cultivate the beans,
Or, on the barn floor, swing a flail,
When you can learn the ins and outs
Of agricultural life by mail?

'Tis foolishness to toil away
Beneath a humid summer sun,
At cutting oats or raking hay,
In fact, such hardships you should shun;
For what do you expect to gain,
What good, my friend, will it avail
To work yourself to death, when you
Can learn these secrets all by mail?

Take the plow, the hoe, the rake
And the reaper and the drag;
Eschew the milking morn and night,
And currying the festive nag.
Why feel that you must do such work
When each exact, minute detail
Of farm life is revealed to you,
For just a two-cent stamp, by mail?

Panama is beginning to feel her [illegible]

The Macedonian war cloud is begi[illegible] ning to show a dark-colored lining.

It's Czar Nick in name, but the Ja[illegible] are beginning to realize that it is O[illegible] Nick in action.

Untangling the alphabet will occu[illegible] the mind of some learned mathemat[illegible] cian when the scrap is over.

Baltimore is stout of heart. She re[illegible] alizes that she still has her famou[illegible] oyster beds intact.

The unconfirmed war rumor seem[illegible] to be diligently working overtime [illegible] the Far East.

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When you, for just a trifling sum,
Can learn the farmer's art by mail?

Why get out on a sweltering day
And hoe the beets or weed the corn?
Why chase a plow about the lot,
Or feed the pigs at night and morn?
Why hunt the cows, and idly sit
Astride a stool and fill your pail,
When you can learn the gentle art
Of doing all these things by mail?

Why fret about your winter wheat,
And wonder if you'll get a crop?
Why tramp down to the wood lot, and
With calloused fingers hack and chop?
Why have to cultivate the beans,
Or, on the barn floor, swing a flail,
When you can learn the ins and outs
Of agricultural life by mail?

The foolishness to toil away
Beneath a humid summer sun,
Or cutting oats or raking hay,
In fact, such hardships you should shun;
For what do you expect to gain,
That good, my friend, will it avail,
To work yourself to death, when you
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Take the plow, the hoe, the rake!
Also the reaper and the drag!
Before the milking morn and night,
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By feel that you must do such work,
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Quarters have been secured in the Heldman Building on Second street, where the Young Women's Christian Association formally had chambers. The evening of March 20 has been fixed for the formal opening of the club, when a smoker will be given. Several hundred invitations will be given out.

With the selection of the following officiary, complete organization was effected yesterday: President, A. A. Allen, former Councilman from the Sixth Ward; vice-president, W. P. Jeffries, treasurer, R. Wankowski; secretary, W. H. Harrison; directors, T. E. Newlin, George I. Cochran, James Slauson, H. G. S. McCarthy, D. C. McGarvin, Oscar Mueller, Leo Youngworth, E. Selph; James Clark, Pasadena; Oscar Lawler, W. H. Harrison, postmaster of Long Beach and Robert Wankowski.

The sponsors for the club are "Billy" Dunn, F. X. Parker, J. W. McKinley, Mott H. Flint and Luther Brown. Johnny Wray and Albert Searl are active in the organization.

The club is pledged to support all regular Republican nominees. Dues will be $1 per quarter. Features of the clubrooms, which are to be richly furnished, will be billiard tables, a reading-room and all the paraphernalia peculiar to a well-ordered social club. To the end that the clubrooms may be properly maintained, prominent Republicans have pledged subscriptions of $5 per month until the close of the campaign.

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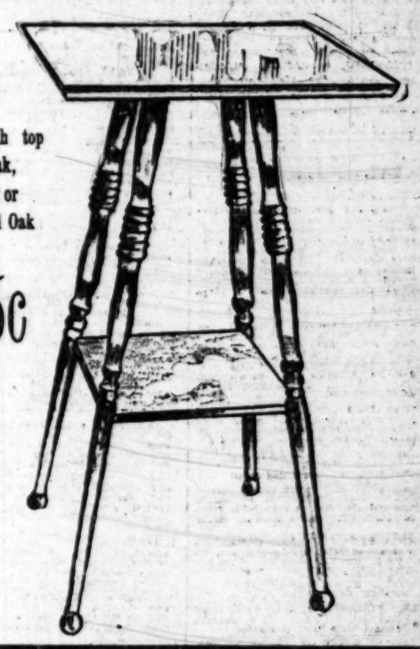

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	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
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Washington	26	16	21	Buffalo	12	4	8
Pittsburgh	18	8	13	Cincinnati	28	22	25
Chicago	20	4	12	St. Paul	8	6	7
St. Louis	36	30	33	Kansas City	42	28	35
Los Angeles	65	52	59	Jacksonville	68	54	61

*The maximum is for February 26; the minimum for February 27. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 26.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 56 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 90 per cent.; 5 p.m., 86 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., west, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 13 miles. Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—A storm has entered the North Pacific Slope the past twenty-four hours and has a southern extension into Nevada. Rain is reported from Washington and Oregon and cloudy weather in California. Light rain has fallen in the San Joaquin Valley and the vicinity of Point Concepcion during the past twenty-four hours. The District Forecaster at San Francisco advises north-bound vessels of a storm on the Oregon coast and heavy weather at sea.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued unsettled weather tonight, with light showers; rain Saturday.

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Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Red Bluff	.28	20.11	17.78
Sacramento	.22	10.86	11.31
San Francisco	.50	12.95	11.49
San Luis Obispo	.06	6.78	11.35
Los Angeles	Trace	2.50	8.89

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The rivers in Northern California will rise rapidly Saturday. Warnings have been sent to many points on the Upper Sacramento, American, Yuba and Feather rivers. The river readings are: Marysville, 18.5 feet, falling; Sacramento, 27.7, falling; Red Bluff, 18, rising; Tehama, 13.9, falling. Forecast:

For Sacramento and vicinity: Rain Saturday; breaking away during day; brisk to high southerly winds; cooler at night. The river will probably rise again after the present fall.

Fresno and vicinity: Rain Saturday; brisk to high south winds.

Northern California: Rain Saturday; brisk to high southerly winds.

For Southern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Saturday; probably rain; brisk southerly winds.

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WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED COLORED chambermaid; bring references. Apply HOTEL HOLLYWOOD, Hollywood, Cal. 28

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WANTED—GIRL TO FILL CANDY BOXES Saturday, $1 for the day. Call 8:30 this morning. BUELL, 120 N. Main st. 27

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WANTED — POSITION; YOUNG, BRIGHT Jap, very honest, very good, speaks English, saloon or store, wholesale place. S. HARNY, 457 Turner st., Los Angeles city. Answer by letter only. 28

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT BY EXPERIenced book-keeper, stenographer and typewriter; ten years' experience; good references. Address Y, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. 27

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WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED GERMAN wants steady work around private place; good recommendation. Address B, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 29

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WANTED—JAPANESE, NEAT YOUNG BOY, 14 years old, wants position as schoolboy. 'PHONES HOME 7469, MAIN 3049. 27

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WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN; experienced man; city references. Address B, box 63, TIMES OFFICE. 28

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WANTED—MISS WEAVER, EMPLOYMENT office. 340½ S. Broadway, furnishes reliable help. MAIN 974; HOME 6322. 29

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NURSE WISHes care of invalid or child. Address NURSE, 430 Lincoln ave., Pasadena. 28

WANTED—DRESSMAKER; MAKE SHIRT waists from $1.50 and up. Address A, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 28

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WANTED—POSITION AS NURSE GIRL IN private family. Call or write, 1482 W. 4TH ST. 28

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WANTED—AGENTS; DO YOU WANT TO make money easy? Something new. ROOM 9, 134½ N. Spring st. 27

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FAITHFUL Japanese couple, man understands perfectly in farming and wife for general housework. T. TASHIMA, 211 Wilmington st. Tel. Main 1647. 28

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Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH A FEW HUNdred dollars for the purpose of extending a well-established, profitable business; will net from 100 to 200 per cent. on money invested; lady preferred. Address B, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—A PARTNER; A PRACTICAL man, with some cash, wants first-class plumber with cash to open a shop in Los Angeles, or I would invest in established business. Address A, box 89, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER IN AN ESTABLISHed agency business, $1000 required. Address A, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—PARTNER WITH A FEW HUNdred dollars at once in good paying business. PHONE 7286. 27

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—HOUSE CLEANING AND DAY work by white man and wife; rapid workers. 'PHONE 3500. 28

WANTED — BY A NO. 1 LAUNDRESS washing to take home. 'PHONE PARK 1292. 27

WANTED—
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WANTED—BY A LADY WHOSE OCCUPAtion takes her from home during the day, a furnished room for herself and son, aged 6, where the child will be cared for during her absence. Address P.O. BOX 441, Station C, city. 27

WANTED—TWO ROOMS BY TWO YOUNG people, near in, state prices. Address B, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—BY AN ELDERLY LADY, ROOM in exchange for sewing. Address Z, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED — UNFURNISHED FIVE-ROOM flat or cottage, state about bath, gas, electricity, location, and price. Address A, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—A SMALL FURNISHED COTtage or tent house, suburban, near car lines. Apply A, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 27

FOR SALE—A WINTON AUTOMOBILE FOR less than half price. L. A. AUTOMOBILE CO., 109 N. Main st.

WANTED—
Rooms with Board.

WANTED — TWO YOUNG MEN WISH rooms with board in private home or small family hotel; when answering give particulars. Address B, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 27

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD FOR MAN and boy, some place like home while father works; state price. Address A, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 27

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To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — A NEW OR NEARLY NEW house in Westlake; must have four bedrooms; give location and full particulars or attention; will pay $5000 or possibly $5500 for desirable house. Address B, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—I HAVE A CUSTOMER FOR A 9-room house in the vicinity of the Lone Star or the Westmoreland tract, must be modern and especially well finished; up to $8000. R. P. BLAISDELL, 606 Trust Bldg. 27

WANTED—TO PURCHASE 5-ROOM OR 6-room modern cottage, Boyle Heights or Pico Heights; cash $300, balance $30 month. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 317 W. Second st. 'Phones Home 2059; Main 2339. 27

WANTED—TO PURCHASE 5 OR 6-ROOM new modern house, in Westlake or southwest district; will go as high as $4000 cash; must be choice. Apply to A. T. JERGINS & CO., 508 S. Broadway. 28

WANTED—TO BUY VACANT LOT, BEtween Temple and Seventh, Hill and Figueroa sts.; cash for bargain. 326 DOUGLAS. Home 'Phone 3774. 28

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A SIX-ROOM house or cottage in southwest, $1000 down, balance $40 per month. Address A, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—WALNUT RANCH NEAR LOS Angeles, convenient to car line; about $7000. Have a client. L. M. PRATT, 606 Laughlin Bldg. 27

WANTED — TO PURCHASE WELL-LOcated, prospective business property, up to $12,000 spot cash. L. L. BOWEN, 302 Frost Blk.

WANTED—10-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH with house, have a client. L. M. PRATT, 606 Laughlin Bldg. 27

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND FURniture in any quantity; if you have one piece or a house full we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone Main 1117, Home 2154. COLYEAR'S, 322 S. Main.

WANTED — A NEW UP-TO-DATE LODGing-house; will rent for a term of years; will buy furniture if new; must give price, location and owner, as I mean business. Address A, box 87, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMINGhouse if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 205 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or Tel. Home 1844.

WANTED—10 LIVE FERRETS FOR RATting in warehouse. Several of them must be easy to handle. Address B, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—TO BUY A BAR LICENSE OR bar and license; answer with full particulars; price must be right. Address A, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 28

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc. RHOADES & REED, 143 W. Fifth.

WANTED — FURNITURE; WILL PAY more cash than any one. GODDARD, 508 S. Broadway. Home 'Phone 1594. Sunset M. 2444.

WANTED — OLD INDIAN BASKETS AND antiques at 46 N. LOS ROBLES AVE., Pasadena. 1

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING, shoes, etc., highest prices. HOME 7780. RED 3041.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 3151.

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Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—IF YOU WANT TO BUILD ANYthing, call up ROBT. D. COATES, 743 E. 27th st. Practical builder. Home 3123; Sunset West 333. 29

WANTED—ONE 110-VOLT ALTERNATING 2-horse electric motor. Address BRENTNER, care Tufts-Lyon Arms Co., 132 S. Spring st. 28

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TO LET—NOTICE—THE HERMOSA, 536 Maple ave., will hereafter be known as the B. & C., under the management of Bowen & Chamberlin; every room has been renovated, nicely papered, painted and refurnished with velvet carpets, new mattresses and in charge of a competent housekeeper, Mrs. Rising, who will gladly show you through the house. You will find our prices low, considering the location and accommodations received, as we will run a first-class house and first-class tenants solicited only. We will have six suites for light housekeeping, with gas ranges, baths, instantaneous heaters which will afford hot and cold water at all times. The remaining rooms will include single rooms and large front rooms which will be rented by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. See housekeeper or BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg., owners.

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TO LET—THREE CHOICE SUITES FOR housekeeping, bedroom and kitchen each; two front and sunny, one with sink and pantry in kitchen, gas stove, use of bath and laundry, large yard, sunny porches, rent $12.50 per month; adults. 900 TEMPLE. 27

TO LET—$16 A MONTH, 3 ROOMS, HOUSEkeeping, furnished complete; new; elegant; hot water; gas range; porcelain bath; telephone; close in. 324 S. FIGUEROA. Also 204 N. FREMONT AVE. 1

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TO LET—908 S. FIGUEROA, OPPOSITE Woman's Club House, one large, unfurnished, new, papered, sunny, corner bay window room, closet and grate, large lawn. 27

TO LET—3 ROOMS, FURNISHED FOR light housekeeping, $10; one furnished or unfurnished sunny room in rear, $4 to $6, near in. 841 BELLEVUE AVE. 27

TO LET—2 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $10 a month. 140 HEWITT ST. 29

TO LET—NICE FRONT ROOM AND KITchen for housekeeping, in quiet family; nice bath, electricity, gas, telephone, etc., close in, $16. 128 E. 19TH. 27

TO LET — HOTEL BERWICK, 449½ S. Spring, front suite for office, other rooms from $2 up; free baths. CALIFORNIA HOUSE, 142½ S. Main. 28

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TO LET—IN PRIVATE HOUSE, 2 SUNNY front rooms on W. 23d st., rent $13 and $15. Near St. James Park. Address X, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 27

TO LET—TO ONE OR TWO LADIES, A sunny front room, furnished, with use of kitchen. Apply 731 E. 32D ST., near San Pedro car. 28

TO LET — TWO LARGE HOUSEKEEPING rooms with bath, separate entrance, veranda and yard; gas and electricity. 910 S. OLIVE. 27

TO LET—SUNNY SUITE, COMPLETE FOR housekeeping. Inquire at ROOMS 29 and 30, third floor front, Devon Inn, 10th and Broadway.

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TO LET — OUTSIDE SUNNY ROOMS AT $1.25 up; some with housekeeping privileges; pleasant front yard. 315 N. BROADWAY. 27

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY room for light housekeeping or sleeping apartment. 2716 HARVARD BOULEVARD. 28

TO LET—3 FRONT UNFURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping, $12.50 per month; no children. Tel. Home 4929. 1004 E. NINTH ST. 28

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, choice, modern, close to business. 415 S. FLOWER, or call 720 W. THIRD. 31

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, range and grate; all conveniences, sunny. 832 S. FIGUEROA. 27

TO LET—PART OF COTTAGE, 4 ROOMS, completely furnished, near school and car lines; rent $22. 1944 NORWOOD ST. 28

TO LET—OFFICES, GROUND FLOOR; ALL conveniences; cheap rent. HANEMAN REALTY CO., 632½ S. Broadway. 27

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TO LET—2 LARGE FRONT SUNNY ROOMS with or without board, in Westlake district. 923 UNION AVE.; reasonable. 27

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TO LET—ONE SUITE OF HANDSOME furnished rooms and one single room with bath. 1049 S. OLIVE. 28

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TO LET — FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS, private residence, $1.50 and $2 weekly; gentlemen. 1519 S. HILL. 4

TO LET — NEW FURNISHED SUNNY rooms; also 3 unfurnished for housekeeping. 230 W. 11TH. 29

TO LET—THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS in a new, modern flat; gas, electricity. 1210 S. FLOWER ST. 27

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TO LET—ONE FURNISHED ROOM, QUIET place, $1.50 per week. 722 E. 10TH ST., near San Pedro. 28

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TO LET — PLEASANT FRONT ROOM, bath, next door to Beacon Hotel. 724 BEACON ST. 28

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TO LET—FRONT ROOM AND SIDE ROOM from $2 to $4. THE REVERE, 223 W. Second. 28

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TO LET — 1 OR 2 PLEASANT ROOMS, furnished, $6 per room. 240 W. 19TH ST. 29

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT ROOM. $5 for one, or $7 for 2 persons. 1010 E. EIGHTH. 28

TO LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOM, private family, reasonable. 531 W. 17TH.

TO LET—FINELY FURNISHED MODERN housekeeping rooms. 639 W. 16TH ST. 28

TO LET—PLEASANT SUNNY ROOM, $1.75; also single room, $1.50. 522 TEMPLE. 27

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TO LET — AT HOTEL ALCAZAR, 420 S. MAIN, pleasant sunny rooms. 28

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM FOR HOUSEkeeping, sunny. 739 WALL. 28

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TO LET—

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$32.50—6 rooms, 335½ S. Figueroa.	
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Rooms and Board.

LET—I HAVE JUST TAKEN A NEWLY furnished throughout new and modern house, which is to run in connection with my present established private boarding house. Hot and cold water, gas, electric lights, instantaneous heater, large sunny rooms, boarders taken, rates reasonable; best location Westlake District. MRS. S. E. L... 1228 Ingraham.

LET— THE MARION, 935 S. HILL ST. FAMILY HOTEL. BEAUTIFUL SUNNY ROOMS AND SUITES, WITH PRIVATE BATHS. FINEST HOME TABLE. EVERYTHING NEW AND STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS.

LET—A PRIVATE FAMILY WOULD take into their home 3 or 4 people who will appreciate beautiful rooms and the best fare obtainable; fine location, convenient to 3 car lines. HOME TEL. ...

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New, modern, colonial flat, 8 rooms; east front, sunny south exposure; oak entrance, double hardwood polished floors throughout, including halls, closets, bathroom, parlor and bedroom in white enamel; other rooms antique Flemish oak; fine buffet; pressed brick mantel; janitor service; water paid; references.

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LET—$22.50, HOUSE OF 6 ROOMS, ... lawn, No. 805 W. 11th; key and ... W. 11th. Owner, P.O. BOX 126 ... Park.

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THE TWO LARGER OF THESE FOUR RESIDENCES HAVE ELEVEN AND TWELVE ROOMS EACH; VERY HANDSOME OAK ENTRANCE; FINE QUARTER-SAWED OAK FLOORS; LIGHTING FIXTURES ARE THE VERY NEWEST PATTERN. HANDSOME BUILT-IN BUFFET, HANDSOME MANTEL, WEATHERED OAK, FLEMISH OAK AND WHITE ENAMEL FINISH; THE NEWEST PATTERN OF FINE HARDWARE IS USED; SLEEPING-ROOMS FINISHED IN WHITE ENAMEL, ROCK MAPLE FLOORS; CEMENT BASEMENT; VERY FINE FURNACE; BOTH HOUSES HAVE LARGE BILLIARD-ROOMS, WITH POLISHED FLOORS. THEY ARE THOROUGHLY WELL-BUILT HOMES, MODERN FROM TOP TO BOTTOM. TAKE A LITTLE TIME AND GO OUT AND LOOK THESE OVER.

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FOR SALE—BY OWNER, $2750, $600 DOWN, balance $30 month; this is a sacrifice. Modern, up-to-date 5-room house, newly decorated, electricity, gas, coal grate, porcelain bath, lawn, fruit trees, flowers, big yard and chicken house; short distance to Westlake Park; nicest part of city; this is positively a bargain. 1627 W. 12TH ST., near Union ave. 27

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FOR SALE—NO. 1704 MAGNOLIA AVE., 5-room cottage with reception hall, just finished and complete, with every convenience; the rooms are of good size and well arranged; price reasonable and easy terms can be arranged. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 27

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FOR SALE—HOUSES. $2100—New modern cottage, 5 rooms, porcelain bath, walls tinted, lot 50x123 feet, southwest, on high ground, fine location, $20 monthly. Take 16th-st. Santa Monica car to 1710 Normandie st. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 1

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FOR SALE—NEAR MAPLE-AVE. CAR line, fine modern 5-room cottage, east front, lot 40x140 to an alley; for a quick sale price is $2450; easy payments; this cottage is well worth the money. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS; NEW MODern 5-room cottage, No. 432 E. 30th st.; all modern conveniences; will sell this for small payment down, balance like rent. J. BURRIS MITCHEL & CO., 326 Douglas Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—$1750; INSTALLMENTS; NEW cottage, close in; on Tennessee st., between Eighth and Ninth; near Huntington shops; good chance to get a home on easy payments. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—MENLO PARK TRACT—LOVEly home, 5 rooms, large reception hall, large lot, barn, alley, trees, shrubbery, lawn, chickens, etc. Leaving city. One-half cash. 807 E. 24TH ST. Take San Pedro street car. 28

FOR SALE—A MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE, on Adams st., for $3500, and will take lot up to $1500 in part payment; this is a bargain. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 508 S. Broadway. 27

FOR SALE — COSY 4-ROOM COTTAGE, bath, gas, large lot, choice fruit trees, bearing, lawn, flowers, fine street, close to Griffith ave. car; also nice lot, Boyle Heights; no agents. MAIN 1983. 28

FOR SALE—2 NICE 10-ROOM HOUSES ON 16th st. near Main, well rented, lot 100x125 feet, if taken before Tuesday can be had at great bargain. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring st. 28

FOR SALE—$3000; 6-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE round front porch, best plumbing, facing the end of 37th st. on San Julian st.; half cash, balance $12 per month. 'PHONE WHITE 4956. 3

FOR SALE — $30 MONTHLY, INCLUDING interest, with small payment, buys 5-room cottage. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 28

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—SOME ONE CAN GET BIG bargain; 7-room, fully modern house, best district; must sell. See, then make offer. G. W. BURTON, 145 S. Broadway, room 1.

FOR SALE—4 LOTS AND 6-ROOM HOUSE, all modern conveniences; bargain for cash or trade for building lot, close in; corner W. FIRST ST. and ROSEMONT AVE. 28

FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGE, STYLISH AND modern, 5-rooms, every convenience; electric cars; $2500; easy terms will double in value. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 29

FOR SALE—$2100; NEW, MODERN COTtage, 5 rooms, porcelain bath, walls tinted, lot 40x122 feet; $20 monthly; Santa Fe ave., next S.E. corner of Le Grand st. 1

FOR SALE—W. FIRST-ST. COTTAGES, 12 minutes' walk from my office; your chance for a bargain; terms. RICHARD F. SIMONEAU, 430 Douglas Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—NEW 4-ROOM MODERN COTtage, on Brooklyn ave. car line; large lot; porcelain bath and toilet; $1350. C. E. PENDELL, 49 Temple Blk.

FOR SALE—$1400; 5-ROOM HOUSE AND lot, patent fence, chicken yard, small barn, 1½ blocks north store. Address M. M. FISKE, Glendale, Cal. 28

FOR SALE—9-ROOM HOUSE, TO BE REmoved; must be sold at once; will sell at a bargain. Tel. James 7191. 261 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 3

FOR SALE—2-STORY 8-ROOM HOME, MODern conveniences; large barn, corner lot, lawn flowers, trees. Price $4800. Owner, 221 W. 30TH. 27

FOR SALE—$1800, $200 CASH, $25 PER MO., 5-room new handsome cottage, 987 E. 36th st. CRITT & STRANGMAN, 218 Broadway. 27

FOR SALE — NEWLY COMPLETED SIX-room modern cottage, cheap, southwest. See owner, 1022 S. FLOWER.

FOR SALE—LOS ANGELES FLATS, 16 rooms, $1000; rent pays balance. DR. DRAPER, Pasadena. 29

FOR SALE—$2800 CASH, 10-ROOM HOUSE, 311 S. Workman. Inquire 147 N. DALY ST., or Tel. Alta 1881. 28

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE— —GRIDER & HAMILTON'S— VERNON PARK.

Just among all the big things doing, Ascot Park, Huntington's great car shops and car barns, where hundreds of the employees must reside. The building of the Ascot-ave. line through Vernon Park on Ascot ave. direct to Ascot Park. Greatest selling tract in the city, over half sold before street improvements were in. We now have two miles of cement curbs and 5-foot cement walk laid, and streets graded and all modern improvements made free. We have 429 lots, rich loam soil, all kinds of choice trees and berries in bearing. Visit our tract and compare it with all others. You will surely buy. Located on Vernon ave., 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, Rubio, 49th, 50th and 51st sts. and Ascot ave. You can buy choice residence lots from $290 to $400 on terms to suit. Agents at all times to show the tract, including Sunday, at our BRANCH OFFICE, 48TH AND CENTRAL AVE.

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FOR SALE— —$50 DOWN— BALANCE $10 PER MONTH.
$625 EACH, 1 50-FT., SAME LOCATION AS ABOVE.
MAPLE AVENUE.
$700—1 50-FT. LOT NEAR 28TH ST.
$550—2 40-FT. LOTS NEAR 29TH ST.
$500—BARGAIN, FLOWER ST. NEAR 28TH.
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FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS HAS 500 LOTS for sale on easy terms at from one hundred dollars to eight hundred dollars, in Angeleno Heights, Alvarado Park, Lakeside tract and Edendale tracts lots generally 50x150 feet; the northwest portion has the healthiest, best climate of the city; quick access to the business portion and prices far more reasonable than other desirable parts of the city; easy terms. M. L. WICKS, 128 Hellman Block, Second and Broadway st.

FOR SALE— ACRES TO SUBDIVIDE. ACRES TO SUBDIVIDE. The very best 10 acres to subdivide is on 16th st., Santa Monica electric line, just west of the city limits, near Nevin tract, and the Military College, etc. The price we will quote will be $500 less than any adjoining acres can be bought for. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. 27

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FOR SALE—GOLF PARK TRACT BETWEEN 16th and Washington; cream of the nicest residence southwest, now selling fast. $800 per lot; will increase the same as Westlake lots; 4 years ago they sold for $300; now $2500; elegant, fine residences now finished; for sale in Golf Park. Take 16th-st. car to Roosevelt-st. WEISENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 29

FOR SALE— HIGHLAND PARK. Lots in New York tract, $200 to $300; on easy terms; four blocks from new Monte Vista car line; lots are level, on good street, with city water, etc. CRITES & MYERS, corner Avenue 64 and Pasadena ave.

FOR SALE— $700—50-foot lot, 35th near Maple. $2300—50x150, east front, on Central near 16th st. W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg., 4th and Broadway. 27

FOR SALE— TWO FINE CORNERS FOR FLATS, CLOSE IN, AND BIG BARGAINS. M'KOON & METCALF, JOHN 7081. 230 COPP BLDG. 28

FOR SALE—$12,000. Fine corner on Ninth st., 150-foot front; would take part in vacant lots or acreage west of Alvarado st. Call on or address OWNER, 846 Beacon st. 28

FOR SALE—$1350; ONE OF THE BEST LOTS at Highland Park, on Pasadena ave., close to Occidental College. Owner, 217 N. SPRING ST. 28

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN LOTS WITH trees, liberal terms, assistance in building. NILES, Owner, Washington and Maple ave.

FOR SALE—THE BEST LOT IN HIGHLAND Park, on new car line; good location. Address B, box 50, TIMES OFFICE. 27

FOR SALE—LOT 50x150, 4-ROOM HOUSE on Essex st. near Pico; price $2000. Inquire 726 RUTH AVE. 28

FOR SALE—THE BEST TRACT IN THE city for subdivision. Address OWNER, A, box 2, Times office. 28

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN; 10¼ ACRES south side Effie street. WILL D. GOULD, Temple Block. 28

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE— RARE INVESTMENT. THE "DOUGLASS TERRACE" FLATS, 4 SEVEN AND 2 SIX ROOMS. THE FINEST FLATS IN THE CITY. NEW, ELEGANT, CLOSE IN, ON W. SEVENTH ST. FINE ELEVATED LOT, 55x165 TO ALLEY. THESE HIGH-GRADE EXTREMELY MODERN FLATS PAY 10 PER CENT. OWNER GOING EAST MAKES LOW PRICE OF $27,500 FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.

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FOR SALE—A GOOD BUY ON WINSTON STREET. Reader do you know where Winston street is located? Between Fourth and Fifth streets, running from Main to San Pedro street. Go down and see the large brick blocks built on this little hurry up business street in the last few months and take a look at No. 210 Winston, 30x106, with a good house renting now at $31 per month, paying now 10 per cent. on price asked, and we are satisfied the frontage alone will bring $300 per foot inside of 12 months, and to improve now with substantial building could be made to pay 20 per cent. on investment. See BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Blk. Members L. A. Realty Board.

FOR SALE— CENTRAL-AVENUE BARGAIN. CENTRAL-AVENUE BARGAIN. $5000—Only $5000; 40x120, on Central ave. near Seventh st., with an extra good 6-room cottage that would cost $2200 at least to build; rents $35 a month and the frontage is very, very cheap at $100 per foot, so you see $5000 is a SNAP BUY. Our option will expire soon, so better not delay to see BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE— A SNAP BUY. A SNAP BUY. Reader, what do you think of $65 per foot for 30, 40 or 60 feet frontage on Figueroa st., near Third st.? High, sightly, no better location for flats. Also have a fine corner near the above at a way-down price; owner here now for a few days. Says sell out before I go home; would like to talk this property to one interested in first-class frontage; don't delay, but see BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—I WANT TO BUY PROSPECtive business property on Fifth, Sixth, Olive or Grand ave., up to $30,000; pay half cash, balance good income property. Address A, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—FEED AND FUEL YARD AT less than invoice; also 4-room house and 50x150 lot, two oil wells, net income $390 per annum; price $1600. 835 ALPINE ST., near Figueroa. 28

FOR SALE — BUSINESS PROPERTY, stores, close in, renting $72 month, $5600. Another, renting $45 month, $3500. Beat them and we will buy it. LEE & SMITH, 108 W. Third. 27

FOR SALE—ONLY LOT ON HILL ST. FOR sale, between 7th and 8th, 60x165. R. C. OWENS, 321½ S. Spring st., room 10. 27

FOR SALE—LOS ANGELES PROPERTY, $5600; rented for $888. DR. DRAPER, Pasadena. 6

FOR SALE—
Flats.

FOR SALE—GOOD FURNITURE OF SIX-room sunny flat, arranged for renting rooms, $150; rent only $18, water paid. GODDARD, 508 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$1900; QUICK SALE; NEAR 10th and Grattan, flats would pay big return. Owner, 217 N. L. A. ST. 28

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; A NEW 5-ROOM modern cottage at Ocean Park; lot 50x132; north side S. P. road. Inquire of owner. 34 OZONE ST. 28

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—23-ACRE NAVEL AND VAlencia grove, good district; large house, fine barn, beautiful grounds; $18,000. L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—$900 BUYS 2½-ACRE ORANGE grove, fruit on trees, 5 shares water, trees 10 years old, full of fruit. Address BOX 411, city. 28

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE— JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.
The best 34-room house in city; money maker; cheap; must be sold.
A fine 20-room house, unfurnished, or some furniture if desired; must be closed this week.
Apartment-house, must be sold. Call at once.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—10-ROOM HOUSE, EXPENSIVE new furniture, at Ninth and Main, the booming corner; low rent, good lease; rooms full; clearing $60 per month; genuine snap at price; less than usually asked for houses on back streets; other interests compels sale at sacrifice. Apply owner only, 911 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—MUST SELL AT ONCE, WELL-paying, 11-room, new furniture, will take $600; clears rent of 3 rooms; lease; fine location; must be sold before the 1st. 1022 S. HILL ST. 28

FOR SALE—$165; IMMENSE BARGAIN; MY fine furniture of modern 6-room flat; actual value $450. See my agents, D. H. LINGLE & CO., 508 S. Broadway. 29

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN IF SOLD BEfore Monday, newly furnished 25-room rooming-house, corner building, two entrances. 902½ SAN PEDRO ST. 28

FOR SALE—THE BEST 17-ROOM HOUSE on Broadway, low rent, good lease. See this and make offer. WAYER & CUTLER, 605 S. Spring st. 29

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 3 THREE-room flats, new, modern, $160, snap; bargains in all-sized houses. DENTON & ABRAMS, 117 S. Broadway. 27

FOR SALE—$1000; 12-ROOM FAMILY HOtel, net rent only $45; last month's receipts were over $300; illness cause of sale. 1022 S. HILL ST. 29

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FOR SALE—CHEAP; ROOMING-HOUSE, low rent, good lease; always full. Inquire LANDLADY, 229 W. First st.

FOR SALE—$2000 CASH, 20 FURNISHED rooms, fine, extra good location, central. 616½ S. MAIN. 29

FOR SALE — LODGING-HOUSE AND lease; a bargain. Inquire at 345 E. SECOND. 28

FOR SALE—
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FOR SALE— 2½, 5, 10, 20 ACRE LOTS. Rich, sandy loam soil, ten miles south of the city, 4 blocks from electric railway. In the proven berry, alfalfa, pea, bean and garden district. —CALLED THE— NORTH MONETA GARDEN LAND TRACT. A 480-acre subdivision supplied with 336 miners' inches of water, produced from a $9000, 50-horse-power electric motor plan.; 1 share of water stock to each acre; guaranteeing a perpetual water supply. PRICES $175 TO $250 PER ACRE. EASY TERMS. H. T. COFFIN. F. L. FORRESTER. 242 Bryne Bldg. 3rd and Broadway.

FOR SALE—$1500 LESS THAN COST, with the crop thrown in for a ten-acre orange ranch, frostless belt, only one-fourth mile from R.R. station at San Dimas; trees 12-year-old Washington navels, good water right; owner leaving State and must sell. Price $5500; incumbrance $1500. Address Z, box 69, TIMES OFFICE. 28

FOR SALE—$12,500; FINE ORANGE ORchard and beautiful home at Ontario, one of the most desirable localities in Southern California, with one of the best water rights; this place is as nearly perfect as you could make it, and requires no cash for improvements; income now at least $2500 per annum; large, modern house; near electric cars; every convenience of good neighbors, school, church, fine climate, etc.; owner will carry $7500 at 6 per cent., if desired. If you want a perfect California home, with assured income, examine this. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—BUILD FOR THE FUTURE. Buy a 10 or 20-acre tract and set it to trees, for a future home; land in beautiful La Habra Valley; price from $130 to $150 per acre, with water. W. J. HOLE, 349 Wilcox Bldg. Either Phone 1363.

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL SOON be running. For State lands in Southern Nevada, with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre. Also snaps in the Muddy and Vegas valleys. See J. F. M'PHERSON, 403 Stimson Block, corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—AT BUENA PARK, 35-ACRE alfalfa ranch, $2500 net profit yearly; 19 miles from Los Angeles, on 2 railroads, 75 inches water, with new pumping plant, fine barn and outbuildings, new 8-room 2-story house. Owner, JOHN W. WATSON, 322 Trust Bldg. Home 'Phone 2790.

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FOR SALE—20 ACRES NEAR COVINA; raised 900 sacks of potatoes last crop; two crops a year; buy it and pay for it in a year; good for alfalfa or berries; 25 shares of water; bargain at $1350. C. E. DODGE, 119 S. Broadway. 27

FOR SALE—THREE 11-ACRE TRACTS AT Crescenta, 4 miles from Glendale, in the foothills, at elevation of 1600 feet; prices, with free water, $550, $660 and $825. Suitable for CHICKEN RANCH. C. E. DODGE, 119 S. Broadway.

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FOR SALE—20-ACRE YOUNG WALNUT orchard near El Monte; fine pumping plant, buildings and a nice home, if taken by Monday can be had at a bargain. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring st. 28

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FOR SALE—20-ACRE WALNUT ORCHARD in San Gabriel Valley; income $2000 per year; nicely located; water abundant. Address J. F. UNRUH, rural box 23, El Monte, Cal. 28

FOR SALE—50 ACRES FINE YOUNG WALnut orchard with plenty water free; some buildings, near Whittier, at $350; this is a bargain. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring st. 28

FOR SALE—SMALL RANCH ON CAR line, 1 acre, with house, $1600; or 2 acres, $2000. See L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—$2000; 10 ACRES, FRUIT TREES and vines in bearing, house and barn, good soil. MRS. H. STALEY, near Katella school, 2 miles south of Anaheim. 30

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—WHEN NEXT IN LONG BEACH don't fail to view the famous DENSMORE VILLA LOTS (adjoining Densmore tract,) in Alamitos.
Call upon the SOLE AGENTS, HAZELWOOD-SMITH BROS.
Our carriages are at your service.
Lots 50x135, all in fruit, bearing; one block west from Redondo ave. car line; 2 blocks from $18,000 schoolhouse, and 4 blocks from ocean; $225 per lot; one-fourth cash, balance in 2 years, at 6 per cent.
We have listed with us the cheapest homes, lots and acreage in Long Beach and Alamitos.
HAZELWOOD-SMITH BROS., 11 Locust ave., 'Phone Home 109. Long Beach. 27

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH IN BEAUtiful North Pasadena, altitude 1000; pure water, grand view; 5 acres on Los Robles ave., 2 miles north of Pasadena business center, 5 blocks east of Mt. Lowe electric line; 6-room plastered house, bath, toilet, nickeled plumbing, hot and cold water, reserve water supply tank; barn, shed, chicken-house and corrals, incubator house, incubator and brooder, cooking oven with kettle cemented in; servant's house; place set solid to full-bearing apricots, peaches, figs, walnuts, berries; roses; ½-acre eucalyptus grove; water piped all over place; price $4500; 300 pullets included. ELBERT E. JOHNSON, Real Estate, Insurance, Loans, Notary, North Pasadena. Telephone Suburban 28.

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FOR SALE — THE ENTIRE STOCK OF merchandise of the Red Front Bargain House will be closed out at auction in lots to suit the purchaser; sale commences Saturday, 2 o'clock p.m., at 434 S. Spring st. CALIFORNIA GENERAL MERCANTILE COMPANY. 28

FOR SALE — RARE OPPORTUNITY TO buy dry goods, notions, shoes and clothing at your own price; daily auctions, commencing Saturday, 2 p.m., at the Red Front Bargain House, 434 S. Spring st. CALIFORNIA GENERAL MERCANTILE COMPANY. 28

FOR SALE—SASH AND DOORS; AN ELEgant stock; we carry both high and low-grades to fit your house and pocketbook at the lowest possible price. Get our figures and we'll get your money and good will. WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple. 27

FOR SALE—CHANCE OF A LIFE-TIME; my magnificent 3-pedal Steinway upright piano; also one other large new Standard upright piano, original cost $575, now $165; sold for storage. ARNOLD STORAGE, 555 S. Spring near Sixth. 28

FOR SALE—INCUBATORS, BEST MADE hatchers in existence, and prices reasonable, 110 size, $16; 220, $23; have two machines which I will sell at a bargain. Write or call WM. B. DEAN, 979 E. 35th st.

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FOR SALE—TWO DRESS CIRCLE SEATS, good place, for Weber & Fields, tonight; little or no extra charge. Address B, box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 27

FOR SALE—1000 YOUNG ORANGE TREES, budded Valencias; also 12-inch riding plow, "Solid Comfort." MRS. M. LINDGREN, Glendale, Cal. 28

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The old adage says that it always takes two to make a quarrel; but in this Land of Sunshine, where may be seen so many anomalies, there appears to have cropped up a quarrel that is disclaimed by both sides to the controversy. It is a sort of "scrap" between the Anti-Saloon League and the Prohibitionists.

Dr. Chapman, leader of the Anti-Saloon forces, says: "There is no unpleasantness—for we won't have any;" and Fred F. Wheeler, spokesman for the Prohibitionists, says: "We hold our movements in abeyance for the present."

The trouble has come about in the temperance people planning for a campaign against the liquor business in Los Angeles. On the side of the Prohibitionists there is a determination to force upon the people a clear-cut total prohibition proposition. The Anti-Saloon League believes this could not be carried at the present time, and wishes to make a move for prohibiting only the retail liquor business as represented by the saloon, the hotel bar (not drinks served at meals,) and the druggists on other than prescriptions. This, they says, is as much as conservative opinion would be justified in placing before the people at the present time, and claim the policy of the Prohibitionists is too radical.

Since the announcement of the Anti-Saloon League that it would inaugurate a campaign along the lines suggested the Prohibitionists held a meeting and formulated a statement of their position with regard to the controversies between the two parties on the plan of campaign. This is signed by Fred F. Wheeler, and says among other things for the Prohibitionists:

PROHIBITION VIEW.

"We regret being compelled to announce that the efforts to organize a federation of the anti-liquor forces of this city have failed. We have expended much time and thought for two months to secure that end, and feel that the responsibility for the failure cannot be laid at our door."

Then it goes on at length to relate that the originators of the movement were representatives of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the Good Templars, and the Prohibition party.

The plan of action, formulated in conference, was to invite the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the Ministerial Alliance, the Good Templars, the Anti-Saloon League, the Prohibition Alliances, the Christian Endeavor Societies, the Epworth Leagues, the Young Men's Christian Association, the Salvation Army, the Volunteers of America and all the churches and church societies to join in a united effort to prohibit the manufacture and sale of all alcoholic liquors in this city, and destroy the business through the initiative and referendum clause of the city charter. A committee of three was selected to coöperate with similar committees from other organizations in sympathy with the effort, and to take such further action as in their judgment is wise to attain the end desired, the statement sets forth. A committee was appointed to wait upon the Anti-Saloon League and to invite it to join in the movement. Then the Anti-Saloon League responded as follows:

ANTI-SALOON RESPONSE.

"Impressed with the conviction that the several organizations desiring the suppression of the saloon have committed to the Anti-Saloon League the work of inaugurating and conducting such movements and have provided it the means for so doing, this Executive Committee expresses their conviction that there should be a campaign inaugurated in the city of Los Angeles at the earliest day deemed advisable by this committee, and that it should be conducted with such ends in view as after due deliberation and consideration of all the conditions the committee deems advisable. And in this work we earnestly invite the hearty coöperation of all churches and other organizations as well as individuals who favor the supression of the saloon."

PROHIBITION PROPOSITIONS.

"Comment on the above is unnecessary," says the Prohibitionists' circular. "The public can judge whether its spirit and breadth were a proper response to our invitation. However, we waived that point and made other efforts for a conference and finally succeeded in securing one. We urged the federation plan, and absolute prohibition as the proper scope of the movement. They urged that the Anti-Saloon League was the best medium and to fight the saloon alone, the wisest policy, leaving the brewery, the wholesaler, the hotel bar, the restaurant, and the drug store to continue their work as at present. We will not at this time enter into a discussion of the fatal weakness of such a programme. We submitted an alternative proposition based upon the present law in Pasadena. This would destroy the manufacture and close places where liquors are sold, and if enforced, should reduce the consumption of liquor proportionately. Under this arrangement those we represent would endeavor to elect a Mayor who would appoint Police Commissioners that would refuse to grant a single permit and thus secure absolute prohibition. We also offered, if the federated plan was adopted, to elect Dr. Chapman as its chairman.

"These propositions were declined, and we were informed that they had decided to go ahead themselves 'on the plan which we stated to you at our last interview.'"

Notwithstanding this conclusion, and desiring to exhaust every effort to prevent the mistaken movement which they contemplated," says the circular, "we presented another proposition, as follows:

"We still have another suggestion to make looking to a united movement against the liquor traffic, which we hope will meet the approval of yourself and associates. The objection was stated by one of your committee at our recent conference that many conservative people thought an ordinance prohibiting the manufacture and sale of all alcoholic liquors as a beverage would work a hardship on those who had large sums of money invested in the brewery or the saloons, if it were to go into effect at once, and this feeling would cause them to vote against our proposition. There is undoubtedly some force in this argument, although the Supreme Court of the United States has passed on that subject and decided against the liquor interests. But to meet that objection, as well as to offer a substitute for fighting the traffic by piece meal, which we believe to be a fatal mistake, we submit the following:

"Let us submit an ordinance to the vote of the people which shall absolutely prohibit the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors as a beverage, but that the law should not go into effect for five years after its adoption. This, if adopted, will give every man who has money invested in the business ample opportunity to get it out and invest it in other ways. This suggestion ought to enable all branches of the anti-liquor army to stand together, and with a united front we can certainly carry such a proposition in this city, and by the time it goes into effect we can elect a city administration in complete and hearty sympathy with it, and thus secure its enforcement. We still believe the effort should be made while the Methodist General Conference is here. May we hope for a reply by the 26th.

"This, too, was declined. In order that the full responsibility for the results that will follow the plans of the Anti-Saloon League may rest upon them, we decided at our meeting last evening to hold our movements in abeyance for the present."

TOO BROAD, SAYS CHAPMAN.

Dr. Chapman, of the Anti-Saloon League, meets these statements with the counter-statement that after several conferences his organization was convinced that the two factions could not come to a common ground, as there was such a wide difference on the scope of the issue. He states that the Anti-Saloonists did not consider it the part of wisdom to present such a sweeping proposition that it could not carry, and that they were willing to fight for what they could get, and attack the drink evil by sections rather than lose the whole campaign.

He says the Prohibitionists wanted an earlier campaign than his forces were prepared for, and that his idea was to move carefully, so that there would be no mistakes made.

"There is really no division of the temperance forces," said Dr. Chapman last night. "The Anti-Saloon League is the most complete federation of these forces ever attempted, but, like all such movements, it does not include everybody. There is a small faction of extremists among the Prohibitionists who hold aloof, and they are back of this movement to present total prohibition at a time when it is deemed by conservative people the conditions are not ripe for it. These Prohibitionists possibly control 400 or 500 votes. It must be noted, however, that these people have not made a definite declaration that they will not vote for the measures we propose. They simply plan to hold themselves aloof for the present."

"As to the W.C.T.U. and the Good Templars, they are both affiliated with the Anti-Saloon League, and three of the unions have places on our Executive Committee by choice of the federation."

TRICKY SCHEME FOR REDLIGHT.

BALLERINO'S DENS OF SHAME MAY BE REOPENED.

Plan Projected Whereby Crib Properties are to be "Deeded" to Scarlet Women Who Can Then Make Defense Against Vagrancy Charges.

Another effort is to be made to open the cribs, and tonight is the time set. Like former endeavors which B. Ballerino and others have made to secure a return to themselves of the foul revenue of $200 a night which they so long enjoyed, this effort is certain to result in failure. Ballerino must be getting his advice from some person or persons far shrewder than he has ever been given credit for being, for he could not have originated his newest scheme to evade the law. The plan is simple, but could succeed only with the connivance of those high in authority. Considering the present state of public sentiment, that is not to be considered possible.

By Ballerino's scheme it is proposed to deed to a number of crib women certain of the dives which they formerly occupied. Of course in the execution of these deeds Ballerino will protect himself from loss by taking mortgages, the terms of which will make it impossible for them to ever be complied with, and thus although to all intents and purposes the title will pass, Ballerino will stand no chance of losing his property.

Once the women secure deeds to the property they can, of course, open such little "stores" as they may desire, and none can say that they are not transacting a legitimate business. Nor can it be said that Ballerino is again renting his places for immoral purposes. To convict the women of vagrancy probably would be difficult under the circumstances, for they would be in "business" on "their own" premises and would be making "part payments" every night, and these payments would be just that much revenue for Ballerino.

It had been announced that last night some of the cribs would be reopened, but owing to some delay in the filing of the papers "transferring" the property the time was deferred until all legal requirements can be complied with.

An official of the police department was told about the scheme last night and asked what would be done about it.

"What will we do?" he replied. "Why nothing except raid the places every night they are open, or several times every night if need be. We will keep them busy putting up bond money. Such an attempt to evade the law will not be tolerated."

That being the attitude of the police, Ballerino's cribs may not be reopened after all.

A Queen as a Shopper.

The Queen, the Princess of Wales, Princess Charles of Denmark and Princess Victoria walked from the castle into Windsor yesterday afternoon and did some shopping.

The princesses filled their pockets with lovely things, the royal party staying in the shops a considerable time. "They give as little trouble as possible," said Mr. Barber, "and it a real pleasure to wait on them." The Queen and the princesses would not even trouble the shopkeepers to have some of the things wrapped in paper. They simply put the small purchases into their pockets and asked for the larger things to be sent on to the castle.

Her Majesty and the princesses did not pay for their purchases in hard cash, but the Queen remarked to one tradesman, "You can trust me?" They seemed to make light of the unpropitious weather and the wet pavements, and tramped along quite gayly, holding an animated conversation and frequently stopping to look at the wares displayed in the shop windows of the High street.—[London Mail.

New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Offices of The Times are being remodeled, the entrance to both advertising and subscription departments will be on First street at the eastern extremity of the building.

WISCONSIN CAPITAL DOOMED BY FIRE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADISON (Wis.) Feb. 27.—The State Capitol caught fire at 3 o'clock this morning, and at 5 o'clock it appeared that the building would be a total loss. The fire was soon beyond control of the city fire department, and engines from Milwaukee were summoned. The loss is not yet known.

CANAL PROCLAMATION.

The President Makes Public the Text of the Treaty and Gives Official Notice of its Ratification—Bunau-Varilla Resigns.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Secretary Hay and Minister Bunau-Varilla this forenoon exchanged ratifications of the Panama canal treaty at the State Department. At 11:50 o'clock, the President signed the proclamation putting the treaty into effect.

As soon as the proclamation was signed, it was returned to the State Department, where the exchange of ratifications had taken place between Secretary of State Hay and Minister Bunau-Varilla, of Panama. The Cabinet was in session when the proclamation reached the White House from the State Department. Secretary Loeb took the document to the President, and he signed it immediately.

The President may not send to the Senate his appointments on the Isthmian Canal Commission before the first of next week. He has been informed by telegraph that Benjamin M. Harrod of New Orleans has mailed to him a statement regarding the charges against Mr. Harrod. Until he has received this statement and given it consideration, the probability is that the official announcement of the personnel of the commission will be withheld.

The exchange marks the close of diplomatic negotiations looking to the acquirement by the United States of canal rights on the isthmus, running back to the first quarter of the last century. What remains to be done now is nothing more than the adjustment of certain legal questions by the law officers of this government. The State Department has fulfilled its functions.

The legal questions remaining to be settled are the pending litigation in France concerning the canal and the question whether, under the terms of the Spooner act, the $10,000,000 which was to be paid to Colombia can now be paid to Panama. It will be some time before these questions can be settled, and meanwhile no money is likely to pass. The proclamation is as follows:

By the President of the United States of America:

A proclamation:

Whereas, a convention of the United States of America and the republic of Panama to insure the construction of a ship canal across the isthmus of Panama to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans was concluded and signed by their respective plenipotentiaries at Washington on the 18th day of November, 1903, the original of which convention, in the English language, is word for word, as follows:

(Here follows the text of the treaty.)

And, whereas, the said convention has been duly ratified on both parts and the ratifications of the two governments were exchanged in the city of Washington on the 26th day of February, 1904;

Now, therefore, be it known, that I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, have caused the said convention to be made public, to the end that the same, and every article and clause thereof, may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the United States and the citizens thereof.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this 26th day of February, in the year of Our Lord, 1904, and of the independence of the United States the One hundred and twenty-eighth.

[Signed]

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

By the President:

JOHN HAY,

Secretary of State.

M. Bunau-Varilla, the Minister from Panama, today cabled his resignation as such to the President of that republic.

CERTAIN FORMALITIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—From the State Department, Minister Bunau-Varilla, with the exchange copy of the treaty, drove to the cable office and tendered his resignation as Minister from Panama to the president of the republic in the following dispatch.

"The exchange of ratifications of treaty has taken place today at 10:45, thus finishing the accomplishment of my duty to the republic of Panama. I request Your Excellency, in conformity with what I have expressed in my letter of November 24 to the Department of Foreign Affairs, to accept my resignation from today, and to send me by next mail my letter of recall."

M. Bunau-Varilla expects to remain in this country for a fortnight, and will then go to Paris to look after private business. It is possible the Panama government will wish M. Bunau-Varilla to remain in charge of the legation until his successor, Dr. Arosmena, arives. And if possible, the Minister will consent to extend his mission.

Replying to an inquiry why the Panama government was not to receive today, in accordance with the terms of the treaty, the $10,000,000 which this country has pledged to pay, the Minister said: "For two [reasons]. First, because I had informed the [offi]cials that were a check for [the] amount handed me, I should be com[pelled] to return it, because I have [said] all along that I did not care [to be] connected in any way with the [finan]cial dealings arising from the sale, and further, because the [govern]ment of Panama has not yet [decided] on the programme for the [investment] of this sum, and therefore would [pre]fer that it should not be tr[ansferred] for the present.

"A second reason is the necessity [of] accomplishing certain legal forms with the Panama Canal Company which the Attorney-General of [the] United States thinks should be [done] before the payment of the [purchase] price. For this reason, the pr[esent] of the Panama government [that the] money be held in trust here [for the] present is in harmony with the [wishes] of this government."

Asked about the nature of the formalities, M. Bunau-Varilla said: "[The] formalities arise from the special [sit]uation of the canal property, which is now in the hands of a receiver [and] cannot be transmitted without [authori]zation of the courts. The ab[surd the]ory of Colombia that certain [parts of] the contract between Colombia [and] Panama are still binding, while [others] are not, can cause only a[nnoy]ance even to the simple. Colombia [lost] her sovereignty over the Panama [territory] and therefore is unable to f[ulfill] obligations to the Panama Ca[nal Com]pany, although Colombia seems [anxi]ous that the Panama Canal [Company] shall fulfill its obligations to [the Bo]gota government and decline [to sell] the canal without the conse[nt of Co]lombia. I should say that pr[obably] more than a month will [elapse be]fore Panama will be ready [to receive] this $10,000,000."

COALING STATION F[OR SAN DIEGO].

Lieut. Holcomb Preparing [for] Work and Says Appropri[ation] Will Pass.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive] Dispatch.] Lieut. Holcomb, who [will] have charge of the construction [of the] government coaling station, [says] Burton's hold-up of the $200,000 [appro]priation bill will not prevent [its pass]age. He has established head[quarters] and is preparing to commence [work]. Since the bill was framed Mr. [Burton] has tacked on $2000 for the expense [of] a preliminary survey. He says [that] the plant will be entirely of steel, [in]cluding the pilings, which are [to be] encased in cement. There will be house facilities on the wharf for tons of coal, to be ready for [immediate] use, while the capacity of the [bunkers] on shore will be 20,000 tons.

NEIDERMANN WILL FIGHT.

Neidermann, owner of many [cribs] in the red light district, has re[turned] home, and he declines to be a p[arty to] the ousting of the occupants [of the] cribs, as proposed and carried [out in] his absence by his wife. He [says] he will fight the prosecutors [in the] courts, and has employed counsel. [But] as the cribs are closed the sup[position] is that Neidermann's wife has the [bal]ance of power.

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CORONADO BEACH.

MRS. MUNN LOWERS RECO[RD].

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Feb. [26.—] The woman's record in golf at [the] links was lowered yesterday by [Mrs.] Herbert Munn of New York, who [made] the long course in 94, going out [in 46] and returning in 48.

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Essex Park Races.

HOT SPRINGS (Ark.) Feb. 26.—Elghor won, Amote second, Marijmarco third; time 1:44¼.

Three furlongs: Woodclaim won, Charlie's Aunt second, Fay Templeton third; time 0:38.

Five and a half furlongs: Sam Houston won, Martins second, Goudy third; time 1:07.

One mile and an eighth, hurdles: Mrs. Grannan won, Bob Hilliard second, Broadway third; time 1:58.

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Tacoma Gets Phil Knell.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 26.—Manager Fisher of the Tacoma baseball team today made the announcement that he had signed Phil Knell as one of his pitchers for next season. Knell has lived in this city for some time. He is a southpaw pitcher, and is one of the veterans of the game.

Durfee is Restored.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Pacific Coast Board of Review of the National Trotting Association has repudiated the ruling of the Oregon Fair Association, wherby William Durfee of Los Angeles and trotting mare Sweet Marie were ruled off the turf. The ruling off occurred at Salem, Or., last year.

DIXIE "KID" A WINNER.

FRESNO, Feb. 26.—The "Dixie Kid," champion featherweight of the Pacific Coast, knocked out John Solomon of Fresno in the eleventh round of a scheduled twenty-round go before the Central California Athletic Club tonight.

CLEAN SPORTS NOW IN SIGHT.

FLUNKING ATHLETES CANNOT COMPETE IN TRIALS.

University of Southern California and Occidental Faculty Foot is Put Down Firmly—Some of the Best Performers Now Under the Ban.

The cause of pure athletics received a distinct and much-needed boost yesterday afternoon, when at a meeting of the faculty of the University of Southern California the names of Fergusson, Flick, Woodward and Wilson were stricken from the list of contestants in the field day which is to occur this afternoon between U.S.C. and Occidental at Fiesta Park. The last-named college has taken an equally firm stand in the same matter, and in consequence has decided to suffer the loss of Bacon, Rainey and Thompson. All of these men were behind in their studies and were giving more time to the training of their bodies than the education of their minds; a state of affairs which failed to appeal to the faculty's love of sport sufficiently strong to overrule its convictions of what college is for. Hereafter in these schools it is brains first and brawn for the place money. This action while it works a hardship on the teams at present is considered far better in the long run, as it will tend to elevate the status of Southern California athletics to the plane where it belongs, and will be a step toward crowding out the professionalism and commercialism that has been dragging athletic sports in the dust of late.

Notwithstanding the loss of Fergusson, the weight man, and Wilson in the 440-yards dash, Manager Scott of U.S.C. thinks his bunch have a fighting chance today. Buell of Occidental says his men can let U.S.C. have first and second place in the dashes and then win out with a fair margin.

The list of contestants in today's events follows:

One hundred-yard dash: Occidental, Roberts and Hagerman; U.S.C., Parsons and Townsend.

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Shot put: Occidental, Bazata and Andrews; U.S.C., Broderson and Reed Miller.

Two hundred and twenty-yards dash: Occidental, Walker and Roberts; U.S. C., Parsons and Townsend.

Pole vault: Occidental, Hammack and Merrill; U.S.C., Odell and Ham.

Hammer throw: Occidental, Buell and Wyman; U.S.C., Bickford and Reed Miller.

Four hundred and forty-yards dash: Occidental, Hagerman and Millen; U. S.C., Parsons and Bovard.

Mile run: Occidental, Roth and McCready; U.S.C., Bovard and Hubbard.

Broad jump: Occidental, Hagerman and Merrill; U.S.C., Edwards and Broderson.

Relay race: Occidental, Millen, Walker, Roth and Hagerman; U.S.C., Parsons, Bailey, Hamilton and Townsend.

First place will count 5, second place 3 points. No point will be allowed for third place.

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One mile, selling: Glissando, 107 (Reed,) 13 to 5, won; Mr. Farnum, 107 (Bonner,) 9 to 1, second; Anvil, 102 (Wright,) 13 to 1, third; time 1:44 3-4. Carilee, Prince Blazes, Kickumbob, Elfonse and Sue Johnson finished as named.

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Futurity course, selling: Quiz II, 101 (Bonner,) 7 to 1, won; Sol Lichtenstein, 101 (Reed,) 9 to 2, second; Lansdowne, 97 (Roach,) 13 to 10, third; time 1:13. Pruewood, Amasa, McGregor II, Impromptu and Contestant finished as named.

Mile and fifty yards, selling: Horton, 109 (J. Martin,) 11 to 5, won; The Fretter, 100 (Sherwood,) 9 to 1, second; Chickadee, 100 (Bonner,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:47. Fille d'Or, Bronerdale and Outburst also ran. Mr. Dingle left

FIRST DERBY IS ON TODAY.

Contest Lies Between Bill Curtis and Formaster.

One Has Gone the Route, the Other Works Well.

Improvement of McGrathiana Prince Yesterday.

Today is Derby day—the first at Ascot Park. A field of doubtless seven starters will face the barrier at the half-mile post for the long journey, and last night horsemen generally conceded the supremacy lies between Formaster, the game representative of the Boots & Hollenbeck colors, and Bill Curtis. On form Formaster figures the winner, but not by much; Bill Curtis, by virtue of some splendid workouts during the week, will be heavily supported by the track contingent and its connections uptown. His trip over the Derby course Tuesday in 2:34 4-5, and another fine performance yesterday morning, when he went a mile with Mainspring in 1:41 carrying Redfern at 115 pounds, then continuing on over the Derby route is still further argument in his favor. Elwood, the Durnell entry, is conceded a chance if he does not sulk, and divides with Formaster the honor of carrying top weight, 117 pounds.

Otto Wonderly will ride Formaster today. Hildebrand will probably have the leg up on Bill Curtis. Redfern will likely have the mount on Elwood. Mountain on Pat Bulger and J. Lewis on Fox Lake look to be the riders. It looks as if every horse in the race would be played, but Formaster and Bill Curtis will doubtless open first and second choices in the betting. The question with most players is whether Formaster's recognized ability to go the distance is to be more than offset by Bill Curtis's equally well-known liking for the Ascot track. He has never gone the Derby route in a race, but his admirers are well satisfied with his work-outs and promise to back him to a short price.

The feature of an ordinary card yesterday was the sudden and startling improvement shown by McGrathiana Prince, a royally bred horse from Frank Reagan's stable. Off well in the sixth race, he retained the lead from the start under an able ride and perfect rating by Wonderly and galloped home a winner by a length and a half in 1:41½. Previously in his last race on Washington's Birthday, under Wonderly's riding, and at the same distance, in the same class of horses, he finished next to last in a field of eight, being beaten in 1:43—slower time—by horses he showed up with ease yesterday. And incidentally on that last race the public turned a fair day into another bad one for many of the books by plunging upon McGrathiana Prince hard to win, and playing the favorite, Iras, 1-2. He landed the place and Louwelsea played considerably at 6 to 5, ran inside the money. The winner was played from 10 to 7 to 2, and Iras saved for his backers much of the cash bet upon him by being placed.

Glennevis, the most consistent horse at the track, again rewarded the Scotch element by winning the handicap at six furlongs in a furious drive with Best Man, in which Redfern put up a finish fully equal to his reputation. Best Man under Mountain was eating up the distance at the wire, and ten feet more would have seen him a neck winner.

Pat Dunne's Airship flew like a bird yesterday in the baby race and won like the prohibitive favorite he was. "Lucky" Baldwin backed his El Otros to win and place, getting big interest for half an hour at that when the black, red maltese cross finished second.

A field of fair selling players disclosed a winner for the seven-furlong event in Ultruda, Emir, the hot thing, breaking in front and dying to nothing.

Track Notes.

Advices received by a leading horseman at the track from a friend on the other side, who is a trainer indicate that Johnny Reiff will be reinstated and granted a riding license by the English stewards—that old chestnut again! Reiff—this one—was always pretty well liked in the old country. Should he ever be restored to good standing by the English racing authorities his reinstatement by the French stewards would follow as a matter of course.

Mountain will probably do most of Boots & Hollenbeck's riding here. The seventeen horses of the firm expected yesterday arrived, and Nervator will start today with Mountain up. Mountain will also ride The Ledeaen this afternoon.

Judge Hamilton is determined to put an end to the rough riding which has been too common a feature of Ascot racing the past week. The colonel talked business with the boys yesterday and told them there would be no further conversation on the subject except of a financial nature. In the first race Hildebrand on Laureatea fouled Miss Betty. It cost him $10. In the second J. Lewis on Pyrelia fouled P. Phillips on the back stretch. Another $10 was chalked up. The boys will be more careful in future or the assessments will grow with Irish dividend rapidity.

McGrathiana Prince was bid up from his entered price of $400 to $600, and was retained by Frank Reagan.

The Weber and Fields aggregation was much observed at the track yesterday. All were present, and were given the "best in the house."

Today's Entries.

First race, Slauson course, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

6144	*Winifreda	84
5044	*Zem Zem	99
(6168)	*Jan Holly	99
5712	*Innsbruck	100
6144	Bay Wonder	102
(6151)	Nervator	105
(6157)	Farmer Jim	105
6168	Evander	106
(6144)	Jim Hale	106

Second race, six furlongs, purse, three-year-olds:

(5975)	Sweet Tone	101
(6023)	Golden Mineral	103
(6152)	Filipe Lugo	106
6048	Carnivol	109

Third race, one mile, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

6165	*Neko	85
6178	*Emir	93
6164	*Chemist	95
6109	*Dr. Worth	95
6181	*Sherry	95
6141	Insolence	101
6121	Jingler	103
6141	Blueridge	105
6164	Bennett Gray	106
6165	Marta	107
6091	The Ledaean	110

Fourth race, one and a half miles, Ascot Derby, $2000 added, three-year-olds:

(6023)	Golden Mineral	111
(6045)	Bill Curtis	111
6036	Fox Lake	114
6179	Pat Bulger	114
6143	Sais	114
6156	Elwood	117
6125	Formaster	117

Fifth race, one mile and seventy yards, handicap, three-year-olds and upward:

6133	C. B. Campbell	95
6167	Greenock	100
6131	Rag Tag	103
6167	Bragg	110
(6143)	Namtor	111
(5861)	Waswift	116

Sixth race, one mile, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

6108	*Erne	98
6181	Louwelsea	105
6168	*Rio Chico	105
6145	Lunar	108
(6145)	*Buccleuth	108
6178	Canejo	108
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DERBY PROSPECTS.

Probable starters, jockeys, weights and odds on the horses that will start in the Ascot Derby this afternoon over a mile and a half of fast going, barring rain, follow:

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Bill Curtis, Hildebrand	111	3
Sais, Feicht	114	8
Golden Mineral, Sinnott	111	10
Fox Lake, L. Jackson	114	15
Elwood, Redfern	117	6
Pat Bulger, Mountain	114	30

Rain was threatened last night, but its coming will make practically no change in the probable outcome of the Derby. Most of the entries are mudders of demonstrated ability; Formaster can go in the slop, so can Bill Curtis

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Friday, Feb. 26, 1904. Fifty-sixth day. Weather cloudy. Track fast. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. Richard Dwyer, starter.

6176 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6097—Laureatea, a (J. Pelter)	110	6	.....	5 1	4 ½	3 1	1 ns	Hildebr'd	2	5-2
5965—Hilary, a (F. W. Cooper)	117	1	.....	2 1	1 1	1 1½	2 2	C. Ross	6	15
6116—Miss Betty, 3 (Schreiber)	92	5	.....	8 ½	7 1	6 1	3 2	J. Lewis	3	3
6140—Mistletide, 3 (J. J. Moore)	105	3	.....	3 ½	3 1	2 ½	4 2	Feicht	4	6
6157—Jim Gore II, a (L. A. Stable)	110	2	.....	1 ½	2 ½	4 1	5 1	Henderson	10	20
5720—Bassanio, 4 (F. A. Herold)	107	11	.....	9 1	9 1	10 1	6 1	Miles	15	20
5996—Gibraltar, a (G. S. McKenzie)	112	4	.....	6 1	6 ½	8 1	7 1¼	Fletcher	20	20
6094—Athelrose, 4 (F. N. Hayes)	112	13	.....	10 1	8 1	11 1	8 2	Mountain	5-2	5
6120—Lady Rise, 6 (Ellis & Co.)	115	12	.....	13	13	12 1	9 3	T. O'Brien	15	100
6130—J. Richelieu, Jr., 6 (Quick)	105	10	.....	7 ½	11 1	7 1	10 2	R. Murphy	30	100
6094—Estado, 5 (Menchaca Co.)	110	7	.....	12 1	12 2	9 1	11 3	L. Jackson	6	10
6126—Meteora, 5 (C. A. Holcomb)	103	9	.....	4 ½	5 ½	5 1	12 4	Sinnott	15	40
6157—Piquet, 3 (J. Blute)	106	8	.....	11 1	10 1	13	13	P. Phillips	10	20

At post 2½ min. Off at 2:04½. Time—0:24¾, 0:49½, 1:13.
Laureatea place 7-10, show 2-5; Hilary place 6, show 3; Betty show 1-2.
Winner b. m. by Laureate-Garoga. Trained by J. Pelter.
Scratched—Tomahawk, Judge Napton.
Start good. Won first three driving.
Laureatea best; off poorly; Hildebrand gradually worked his way to the front, outriding Ross at the finish. Hilary off flying; ran a good race. Betty badly interfered with on back stretch, and swerving badly in stretch; came very fast at the finish. Mistletide early speed, but quit badly last furlong. The others no chance.

6177 SECOND RACE—Four furlongs. Purse. Two-year-olds. Value to first, $275.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6119—Airship (P. Dunne)	110	1	.....	.....	2 1½	1 2	1 2½	Hildebr'd	2-5	9-20
(6128)—El Otros (E. J. Baldwin)	110	2	.....	.....	4	3 ½	2 h	P. Phillips	6	10
6119—Lady Lasca (Mrs. Durnell)	115	3	.....	.....	3 2	2 ½	3 3	Redfern	6-5	5-2
6128—Pirelia (M. D. Miller)	95	4	.....	.....	1 h	4	4	J. Lewis	5	20

At post 4 min. Off at 2:35. Time—0:24½, 0:49.
Airship place 1-6, out show; Otros place 6-5, show 1-4; Lasca out show.
Winner ch. c. by Flying Dutchman-Falaise. Trained by P. Dunne.
Scratched—Belle Kinney.
Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Airship much the best; he simply just galloped all the way, winning as he pleased. Otros outrun first part; closed very fast in stretch, outgaming Lasca in the last stride. The latter had none of her usual speed; is evidently stale. Pirelia flash of speed for a quarter; quit badly; acted very bad at the post.

6178 THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6145—Ultruda, 5 (Kirk & Co.)	124	3	2 1½	2 1	2 1	2 1¼	1 1½	Prior	9-5	11-5
6121—Canejo, a (C. E. Durnell)	122	4	4 n	3 1	4 2	3 1	2 2	Redfern	4	8
6123—Milas, 5 (J. Hanna)	123	6	3 h	4 2	3 ½	4 2	3 h	F. Kelly	4	3
6105—Almoner, a (Larsen & Co.)	111	2	1 1	1 3	1 2	1 1¼	4 1½	McCleese	20	40
6104—Emir, 4 (J. Carroll)	104	1	6 h	5 ½	5 1	5 1	5 1	Hildebr'd	1	7-2
6104—Homage, 6 (Stephenson)	107	8	8	8	7 1	6 1	6 1	P. Phillips	15	30
6154—MacGyle, a (J. J. Moore)	109	5	7 2	7 1	8	7 1	7 3	Mountain	4	4
6109—Legal Maxim, 6 (H. Jones)	109	7	5 2	6 ½	6 1	8	8	Wonderly	6	15

At post 3 min. Off at 3:02. Time—0:25, 0:49½, 1:16, 1:28½.
Ultruda place 1, show 9-20; Canejo place 3, show 6-5; Milas show 3-5.
Winner ch. g. by Sabine-Glovina. Trained by J. J. Ellerd.
Scratched—Brown Prince.
Start good. Won ridden out. Second handily. Third driving.
Ultruda well handled. He had to be hard ridden to stall off Canejo, who finished very fast last furlong after a rough journey. Milas poorly ridden. Almoner had speed, but dogged it badly last quarter. Emir nice race.

6179 FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Handicap. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(6155)—Glennevis, 4 (W. Durker)	115	3	.....	2 ½	2 1	2 ½	1 ns	Redfern	8-5	3
6061—Best Man, 5 (J. Bondy)	102	4	.....	4 2	3 1	3 2	2 n	Mountain	2	3-2
6143—Mezzo, 4 (P. Dunne)	90	5	.....	6	6	5 2	3 2	Hildebr'd	3	16-5
6045—Pat Bulger, 3 (L. A. Stable)	102	2	.....	1 1¼	1 2	1 1½	4 2	Henderson	8	12
6080—Dargin, 3 (B. Schreiber)	95	6	.....	5 ½	5 1	4 ½	5 2	J. Lewis	5	4
6144—Huapala, 3 (J. D. Millin)	92	1	.....	3 1	4 1	6	6	J. Booker	8	20

At post 2 min. Off at 3:32. Time—0:24¼, 0:49, 1:14.
Glennevis place 1, show out; Man place 1-2, out show; Mezzo out show.
Winner ch. h. by Tristan-Kentigerna. Trained by G. Durker.
Scratched—Golden Rule.
Start good. Won first three driving to the limit.
Glennevis perfectly ridden. Redfern avoided the early pace and put up a very strong finish. Man was closing fast last eighth and would have won in another jump. Mezzo badly outrun first part; probably best; had to pull up at the paddock to keep from going down. Bulger had his speed.

6180 FIFTH RACE—One and three-eighths miles. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6061—Fortunatus, 4 (Anderson)	100	4	1 1½	1 ½	1 ½	1 1½	1 ¾	J. Lewis	4-5	9-10
6156—His Eminence, 6 (Yeager)	97	3	2 2	2 2	2 2	2 2	2 ¾	Hildebr'd	7-5	7-5
6145—Labor, 6 (Rodgers)	104	5	5	3 3	3 2	3 1	3 ½	Sinnott	7	15
6134—Diamante, 4 (W. J. Spiers)	103	2	3 h	4 6	4 6	4 7	4 8	Redfern	7-2	7
6145—Admetus, a (G. Strobel)	99	1	4 ½	5	5	5	5	L. Jackson	20	100

At post ¼ min. Off at 3:59¼. Time—0:25¼, 0:50, 1:16, 1:43, 2:01¾.
Fortunatus place 1-3, out show; Eminence place 2-5, out show; Labor show 7-10.
Winner ch. g. by Golden Garter-Misfortune. Trained by W. T. Anderson.
Start perfect. Won easily. Second and third driving hard.
Fortunatus nicely rated in front; won galloping. Eminence outrun first part, swerved in stretch, but when straightened out came very fast.

6181 SIXTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $275.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6129—McG. Prince, a (F. Reagan)	109	1	1 2	1 2	1 2	1 1¼	1 1¼	Wonderly	10	7-2
6103—Iras, 4 (C. E. Durnell)	107	3	2 2	2 3	2 2	2 2	2 6	Redfern	1	6-5
(6141)—Louwelsea, 5 (J. McCleary)	111	4	5 ½	3 ½	3 1	5 2	3 n	L. Jackson	4	7
6104—Maj. Dixon, a (Schreiber)	108	10	9 3	8 2	9 3	9 5	4 h	J. Lewis	5-2	8
6154—Phys, 4 (J. Kane)	102	7	6 ½	7 2	8 1	6 ½	5 n	Lawrence	5	12
6141—Dr. Shorb, 5 (Owl Stable)	108	2	3 h	5 ½	5 1	4 1	6 ½	Henderson	15	30
6121—Inaugurator, 5 (J. J. Moore)	108	8	8 3	6 2	8 2	7 1	7 ¾	Prior	2	5
6141—Sherry, 4 (J. Woods)	104	6	7 2	6 1	4 3	3 1	8 3	J. Booker	5	20
6092—Capitol, 3 (G. Lanka)	95	6	4 1	4 h	7 1	8 1	9 5	Andersen	6	40
6129—Turtle, 3 (J. M. Cooper)	106	9	10	10	10	10	10	P. Phillips	5	20

At post 1 min. Off at 4:31. Time—0:25, 0:49, 1:15, 1:41¼.
Prince place 8-5, show 3-5; Iras place 1-2, out show; Louwelsea show 6-5.
Winner ch. g. by Hanover-Eldorado. Trained by F. Reagan.
Scratched—Insolence, Dupont.
Start good. Won driving. Second and third all out.
Prince probably best; he had all the speed and won handily enough at the end. Iras ran her race; was hard ridden the whole distance. Louwelsea cut off on stretch turn; finished strong. Dixon made up ground.
Winner bid up from $400 to $600 by a stranger. Retained by owner.

BOWLING.

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES.

The immaculate nerve of a bunch of three fingerball butchers and two big ball artists was the feature of last night's bowling on the Monarch Alleys when the All-Americans—shades of Al. Selbach, John J. Voorheis and P. Wolff—went down the line three straight before the Inter-Urbans in spite of really high-class bowling by Griffith, who averaged 201, and good work by Mackenzie, who averaged 183 2-3. Scores were 2681 to 2586; they follow:

Interurbans—	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Benfer	158	236	170	564	188
Jacobs	151	144	191	486	162
Craig	208	165	161	532	177 1-3
Hollen	185	159	202	546	182
Lustig	189	172	192	553	184 1-3
Totals	886	876	913	2681	
All Americans—	1.	2.	3.	Total.	Av.
Taylor	158	164	165	487	162 1-3
Dee	151	132	175	458	152 2-3
Griffith	179	218	208	605	201 2-3
Blattener	147	187	149	483	161 2-3
Mackenzie	213	162	156	551	183 2-3
Totals	841	863	882	2586	

Dr. Barnum Wins.

In the fifth game of Morley's three-cushion tournament, Dr. Barnum defeated Frazier by the close score of 25 to 22 in a highly interesting contest.

DROPPED TO DEATH.

Scaffold Around Dome of Chicago's New Postoffice Building Gives Way and Man is Killed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—A triple-floor scaffold on the dome of the new postoffice building suddenly collapsed this afternoon, carrying fifteen men into the first floor of the building, killing two of them. Scores of policemen and firemen were quickly summoned to clear away the débris and permit the recovery of the bodies.

The helpless victims had a sheer descent of 250 feet. The men were at work on the big scaffold, finishing up the decorations on the interior of the dome. There is a space beneath extending to the first floor, and it was down this hole, through all the floors that tons of splintered wood suddenly fell. The men were buried, and after the sound of the fall died away no cries or moans of pain were heard.

Walter Anderson, a time keeper, who was on the second floor of the scaffold, had a hair-breadth escape.

ONLY ONE KILLED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Thirty-five men were working about the dome at the time of the accident, and for a time it was thought nearly half this number had been killed by the falling timber, but all escaped with the exception of two plasterers, James Byron and Barney McBride, who were standing on the portion of the scaffold when it gave way. Byron fell to the main floor of the building and was instantly killed. McBride, who was working with Byron, also fell with the scaffolding, but he caught one of the floors as he fell and thus saved his life, although he was severely injured.

JOHNSON PUTS CASE AT REST.

American President Delivers Opinion by Wire.

Says Dillon Matter Has Been Settled in His Favor.

Morley Goes East of Rockies to Obtain Justice.

It was a good word the wires flashed yesterday from Ban Johnson's office in Chicago to Morley and Dillon in Los Angeles—a good word in which the public, too, has its interest.

Mr. Johnson, at noon, wired in response to Morley's query regarding the jurisdiction of the national association in the Dillon matter, as follows:

"J. F. Morley, manager Los Angeles Baseball Club: National Association has no jurisdiction over Dillon. My understanding is you retained Dillon, assuming you had the first contract with the player. B. B. JOHNSON."

"I think this settles the Dillon matter," said Morley last night. "Incidentally I might say it is pretty hard when a Californian has to go East of the Rocky Mountains to get justice from his associates who should naturally be in league with him in fact as well as in name. I now consider I have won my fight as regards Dillon, but will await further developments. In Johnson I have found a fair-minded man ready to do the right thing.

"How this will affect the case of Castro remains to be seen. I do not believe Portland has as strong a case as I had. Castro came from a club under the National Association's jurisdiction—Baltimore—and Hanlon has some grounds for making his kick. But at the same time I do not favor receding an inch from the stand taken by the league at the recent meeting."

Dillon was as happy as a boy yesterday. Anyone who for a minute thinks the big fellow wants to leave the land of sunshine and oranges should have heard his version of the matter at the track yesterday. Dillon thinks the fight is practically won. He is not much of a hand to talk, but admitted this much:

"I think Mr. Johnson has about settled the case for Morley and I. He has ruled that the business was settled, and I am heartily glad of it. I didn't want to go East. I have just furnished a home and made all my plans to stay here. This climate suits me perfectly; I was never treated better anywhere. So why shouldn't I want to stay?"

That there will be further developments is almost certain, but just what form they will take remains to be seen. Hanlon, whatever else may be said of him, is no quitter, but Johnson's shaft seems to have shattered the National Association quiver effectively. Morley will probably have to go north to fight the matter out before the other magnates of the Coast League, but the upshot of it all will probably be in his and Dillon's favor.

Dillon is likely to stay here. The priority of his Looloo contract has already been established.

RIVERSIDE MEET.

ALL IS NOW READY.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 26.—Everything is in readiness for the interscholastic meet which is to be held at Chemawa Park Saturday. The track is in excellent condition and a rain is the only thing which can spoil the sport. Pomona has engaged a special train. Redlands will bring many "rooters." San Bernardino will not compete. The contest for the league cup will be between Pomona, Colton, Redlands and Riverside.

The officers of the day have been chosen as follows: Starter, Fred Gundrum; referee, Prof. Ernest Rea; clerk of course, A. N. Morris; judges of finish, Dr. C. G. Toland, Pomona; Ernest Purdrum, Colton; Mr. Wise, Redlands; judges of field, W. A. Lewis, Pomona; W. H. Beach, Colton; Mr. Hunter, Redlands; timers, Robert Lee Bettner, Riverside; Harold Hoover, Redlands; Emil P. Steffa, Pomona; scorer, Fred Hudson; announcer, Harry Rayner.

The events will be the 50-yard dash, shot put, 100-yard dash, hammer throw, 220-yard dash, pole vault, high jump, 440yard dash, broad jump, mile run, relay race.

The first event will be called promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

NADEAU—H. R. Buell, R. P. Watkins, G. M. Goldberg, J. B. Freed, James Elder, A. W. Ottenheimer, Lewis A. Aubrey, F. M. Ayer, George H. Bill, Douglas White, George P. Healy and wife, H. M. Johns, San Francisco; H. L. Demming, Miss Wallace, J. Briswaugh, Chicago; H. C. Hubert, Bloomington, Ill.; Lester S. Scoville, Ogden; F. B. Merriam, T. J. Daley and wife, San Diego; B. H. Guthery, Bakersfield; H. T. Cook, South Harris, Mich.; J. P. Whalen, H. Phillips, P. Buchanan, Wellsville; W. Hartman, T. J. Sultner, Cleveland; J. O. Nibley, San Jose; C. A. Howes, Hanford; G. W. Gale and wife, Santa Cruz; W. Stanford Patterson, St. Paul; William Williamson, New York; Fred Burns, Douglas, Alaska; C. L. Chamberlain, Denver; J. L. Seamans, Tucson; Charles De Land, St. Louis; J. G. Kite, Colorado Springs.

HOLLENBECK—O. L. Beck, C. J. Bloomenthal, Ben Levy, N. M. Crossett, F. Wanst, J. McBean, Miss Miller, Fred Gerrine, J. H. Chase, H. S. Martin, Theo. Rothchild, V. Gruhm, A. H. Weir, Roy Weir, Mary Weir, F. Burnes, C. M. McNeal, Miss M. Flinn, L. C. Miller, B. Wright, F. S. Miles, J. S. Landoy; H. B. Richards, R. G. Brush, M. J. Walsh, I. C Walker, J. H. Goldman, S. Neederburg, F. W. Reed, Sam Bibo, George Hammer, San Francisco; C. G. Beades, S. Rosenthal, Philadelphia; P. M. Miller, W. H. Harell, E. J. Rothchild, H. C. Wright, R. E. Gilbert, Chicago; R. F. Steinrich, Ruth Pierce, Maud LeRoy, Olive Hatfreed, B. Kelly, F. A. Pratt, Mildred Pratt, Eva Allen, Mae Chafen, Mattie Chafen, E. Hopkins, M. Hopkins, W. Francis, B. Turner, New York; E. H. Carpenter, S. B. McConnell, Burlington; O. E. Gilson, Mrs. E. Kirk, Mrs. Thompson, Ogden; William Smythe, A. H. Sweet, G. W. Pauley, Paul F. Mohr and wife, San Diego; Fred Barson, F. Van Warren and wife, Santa Cruz; M. L. Flinn, Miss S. Flinn, Sioux City; J. M Ross, Mrs. T. Williams, Prescott; W. T. Cross, H. M. Holt, G. L. Badger, St. Louis; R. E. Lord, Buffalo; R. A. Chandler, Kansas City; J. M. McDougall and wife, San Francisco; N. Blackstock, Ventura; B. Hall, Spokane; W. J. Coulter, Toronto; L. C. Miller, Washington; E. H. Stagg, Camp Rochester; L. E. Porter, Barston; A. J. Kuster, St. Paul; H. W. Schell, Topeka, Kan.; George E. Gunn, Salt Lake.

WESTMINSTER—Miss T. E. Brown, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hanchett, La Crosse, Wis.; N. Welcker and wife, Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Potts, Germantown, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander, Miss Alexander, Joliet; G. W. Grove, H. W. Grove, Albuquerque; C. B. Shedd, Columbus; S. E. Davis and wife, J. H. Perry and wife, Minneapolis; Miss E. H. Robinson, H. L. Ferris, Rochester; E. E. Mehon, Philadelphia; Herbert Brown, Hartford; H. Konroy, Mrs. H. Konroy, Boston; H. H. Snell and family, J. V. Monroe, Tacoma; H. A. Putman, New York; E. C. Hinman and wife, Misses Hinman, Oshkosh; J. W. Kennedy, New York; B. P. Finley and wife, M. J. Morrin, Kansas City; A. R. Wachtmeister, Santa Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Thoup, the three Misses Thoup, Boise, Idaho; William Marshall and wife, Newark, N. J.; W. J. McCarmic, New York; G. Copeland and wife, Walla Walla; Dr. Ernest Kurser, Marburgger; Mr. and Mrs. Delano, Miss H. H. Delano, Marion, Mass.; Dr. L. L. Dunbar and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kaufman, San Francisco; C. D. Rookery, Charles Rookery, Cleveland; K. D. Danforth, Chicago.

NATICK—P. W. Hebert, Lampoc; G. A. McKay, San Francisco; H. Lantra, Lou Lean, N. Y.; R. Fitzpatrick, J. Montgomery, Tucson; J. Montgomery, Pittsburgh, Pa.; F. E. Desmond, etaoin?, Mich.; James S. Neil, Alberta; G. W. Tops and wife, Portland; L. Whitehouse, Soperville; H. C. Hale and wife, Detroit; James Alexander, Annie Alexander, Mrs. B. Alexander, Mrs. Grimes, Bakersfield; J. M. Bird and wife, Ema, Texas; C. W. Bethel and wife, Washington; T. H. Thurston, Minnesota; P. E. Boyle, Boston; W. Galehouse, North Dakota; W. P. Handley and wife, Louis Greer, Barre, Vt.; Mrs. B. L. Wallace, Chicago; Edward Hetasin, San Francisco; A. R. Burke, Seattle; Roy Pittner, Sacramento; A. J. Barker and wife, Iowa; H. T. Payne, San Francisco; A. F. Appleton and wife, Miss Edna Appleton, North Dakota; James C. Reynolds and wife, Illinois.

ROSSLYN—Lucille Perrey, Lottie Stanley, Charles Holton, Carter De Hearn, Carrie Bowman, Edna Chase, Marrion Alexander, Lynn Sisters, Froda Linyard, Myrtle Arlington, Ross Malvene, Myrtle King, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ross, Angie Weimers, Florence Arerell, Jessie Richmond, Mae Sherwood, Belle Robinson, Miss Britton, Grace Hickler, New York; E. H. Man, San Francisco; W. J. Gilkman and wife, Apollo; W. G. Harshaw, Chicago; H. C. Webster and wife, Indianapolis; Frank White, Chaska, Minn.; William Ludwig and wife, San Diego; W. S. Brown, St. Johanesburg; B. H. McLennon, Brooklyn; Margaret Rogers, Dakota; F. H. Gerhart and wife, St. Louis; Louis C. Raber and wife, Cincinnati; J. H. Weise, South Omaha; H. L. Bately, Mrs. E. Heldriesen, Portland; H. J. Sherman, Lompoc; C. M. Bethel and wife, F. C. Engel and wife, Spokane; Dr. E. R. Schrieder, Alameda; Mrs. White and son, San Francisco; Ernest W. Sharp, L. Samson, West Amsterdam; J. Granlinn, Finland; Mrs. L. M. Kennan, L. C. Kennan, San Francisco; C. H. Marks, Chicago.

EXTENSIVE CAVE-IN.

SCRANTON (Pa.) Feb. 26.—One of the most extensive cave-ins that the northern anthracite coal section has ever experienced occurred in West Scranton today. The cave-in affected an area of about forty acres. When the first break occurred the residents became panic-stricken. There are about 200 houses in the district affected. Some are completely destroyed, others are out of plumb, while nearly every house is twisted to such an extent that the doors and windows cannot be opened.

LAST DAY OF THE GREAT PIANO SALE

Nineteen Instruments Sold and Delivered Last Thursday.

All Records Broken by the Geo. J. Birkel Co. at Their Warerooms, 345-347 South Spring.

But the Sale Ends Tonight. Store Open Until 10 O'Clock.

Last Thursday was the banner day of the great sale—sixteen pianos, two piano players and one organ having been disposed of and delivered.

Below is a list of pianos sold on Thursday—with the names and addresses of the purchasers:

Steinway Parlor Grand—Sold to Mr. G. A. Bublitz of San Bernardino—shipped yesterday.

Kranich & Bach Upright—Sold and delivered to Mr. Jas. H. Oher, 719 Westlake ave., city.

Ludwig Upright—Sold and shipped to Mrs. Alice G. Norris, San Diego.

La Gonda Art Piano—Delivered to Mr. P. Garnier of No. 902 West Pico st.

Estey Upright Art Piano and Cecelian—Sold to Mrs. John Wolfskill, Sawtelle.

Kranich & Bach Upright—Sold and delivered to Mrs. Jos. Schols, Sawtelle.

Birkel & Co. Piano—Sold to Miss Mary S. Byl, music teacher, Pasadena.

Sohmer Upright Piano—Sold to the Quartette Mining Co., of Searchlight, Nev. Shipped.

Baus Cabinet Grand—Sold to Mr. C. A. Parmelee, 744 Carondolet street, city.

La Gonda Walnut Upright—Sold to Mrs. E. F. Gomes, 524 Bishop street.

Fischer Upright—Sold and delivered to Mrs. L. A. Guss, 1935 La Grande street.

Baus Upright Piano—Sold to Mrs. Francis Omer, Hollywood, California.

La Gonda Upright—Sold and shipped to Miss Teresa Sweet, Redondo, Cal.

Davis & Sons Piano—Sold and delivered to Miss Margaret J. Hurlburt, Pasadena.

Poco Folding Organ—Sold and delivered to Mrs. H. H. White, 2001 Downey ave.

Schumann Square Piano—Sold and delvered to Miss Alice Mills, 516 Temple street.

Kohler Upright and Angelus Piano Player—Sold and delivered to Mr. F. A. Harlow, 2006 Union street, city.

Eighty-two Pianos sold in two weeks. Strenuous efforts will be made today to reach the hundred mark.

The sale positively ends tonight at store-closing time (10 o'clock). It's your last chance. Will you come—if only to look, learn the easy terms, and find out the prices?

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CZAR AND CZARINA MAKE CONFESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 26.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Like millions of their subjects, the Czar and Czarina today made confessions of their sins. It was a day of praise, as well as of prayer here, and the solemn rites attending the ceremony of confession alternated with thanksgiving for the news from the East. Their Majesties confessed in the church of the Winter Palace to Court Chaplain Yanisheff, and afterward walked in the palace garden.

The visit of the Czar and Czarina to the imperial tombs in the cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul and the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul occurred this morning. They prayed for a long time beside the tombs of the Czar's father and brother, and a cheering multitude greeted them as they drove to the chapel of the Savior in Peter the Great's house, which is a short distance from the fortress. There they attended a special service of prayer.

At Kronstadt tonight, a general confession was given by Father John of Kronstadt, in St. Andrews Church. Since the beginning of Lent, throughout European Russia boarding and lodging houses are full. The church was thronged with worshipers, and there was an immense crowd outside. With the opening of the service, the congregation's cries, groans and shouts produced a weird effect. The tumult ceased suddenly when Father John rose and pronounced forgiveness of the sins of all present.

Like a knight of olden times, before going to battle, Gen. Kuropatkin today performed the most solemn rites of the mother church at St. Petersburg. The Metropolitan of Moscow, who accompanied the Ikon of Saint Sergius to St. Petersburg, has received letters from the Czar recalling the overthrow of the Tartar hordes under its auspices, and prophesying that it will also lead the Russians to victory over the Japanese.

AMERICA GIVES $10,000.

The giving of $10,000 by Charles A. Crane of Chicago to the "Young Empress" fund for Russian soldiers and sailors has been received everywhere with expressions of appreciation. Her Majesty was deeply touched by the donation. The gift was made by Mr. Crane through Count Rostosoff, His Majesty's chancellor. Mr. Chase has cabled saying it was believed in America that Russia has done everything to maintain peace, but that her hand has been forced by a treacherous enemy.

PORT ARTHUR FEINT.

There is a difference of opinion among the military and naval officers in regard to the purpose of the Japanese forces at Port Arthur, but the prevailing opinion that it is to effect a diversion to cover their movement elsewhere. A high naval officer said: "I cannot understand what the Japanese hoped to accomplish. They forgot that the days of wooden, inflammable ships are past. If their object really was to block the channel, it was equally futile, as it would be easy to clear the entrance by blowing up the wreck. We believe the Japanese activity at Port Arthur was a feint to engross our attention while they continue their disembarkation of troops in Korea. I do not believe that at this time they will attempt a landing force on the Liao Tung Peninsula."

It is said today that the battleship Retvizan at the mouth of the harbor is acting as a guardship. The remainder of the Russian squadron is inside to avoid a torpedo attack. The idea that the Japanese seriously contemplate a bombardment of Port Arthur, inviting the exposing of their ships to a plunging fire from the guns on Golden Hill, is regarded by military experts as absurd.

SQUADRON FROM JIBUTIL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SUEZ (Egypt) Feb. 26.—The Russian squadron from Jibutil is reported to be anchored in the Gulf of Suez, twenty-five miles south of Suez. A torpedo-boat destroyer, which had already entered the canal, bound north, has sailed south again to rejoin the squadron.

KOREAN TROOPS FOR JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, Feb. 26.—The Korean government has decided to order the Korean troops to join the Japanese in the field. The port of Wiju was opened to foreign trade last night, February 25th. The limitations to be placed on trade and other incidental matters will be discussed later. This action necessitates a harbor for Wiju, so Yongchampho has been decided upon.

FALLING-BACK TACTICS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The Herald's correspondents cable the following:

SHANGHAI, Friday.—Russia has only five months' supplies at Port Arthur. Russians say that she means to defend Port Arthur, and that she will fall back with the rest of her troops from Dalny to the Yalu, and, if pressed, upon Harbin, where she will fight for two years. Dalny is being evacuated. The Russians boast that they have mined the breakwater, the docks, the wharves and the railway siding to prevent the Japanese from using them.

DANISH ACTIVITY INTENSE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Friday.—Intense activity is shown in Danish military preparations. The Danes are increasing the strength of the forts and raising new ones on the island of Saltholm, keeping three military trains under steam for the purpose of rapidly focusing her strength. This attracts much attention here, and is reckoned as a preliminary step to closing the Baltic. The Novoe Vremya calls attention to British arsenals working night and day with feverish haste.

JUNK MEN SIGHT JAPS.

CHEFOO, Friday, 3:40 p.m.—The crew of a junk which arrived here today reports having passed at a distance eleven Japanese warships coming from the direction of Port Arthur, off the coast of Korea. Two were being towed. Owing to distance the junk crew was unable to ascertain the names of the ships, but they were visibly damaged.

JAPAN'S KOREAN VICEROY.

CHEFOO, Friday, 3:40 a.m.—The following message was sent by mail from Seoul, February 11:

"It is reported that the Japanese Minister has informed the Emperor of Korea that a director-general or viceroy, who will be a Prince of the Japanese imperial house, would soon be appointed to represent Japan in Korea, but the arrangement would be temporary only, and the Emperor need not be alarmed."

CARTER HARRISON'S OLD FEUD SETTLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Political circles are astounded by the announcement of an alliance between Carter H. Harrison, Mayor of the city of Chicago, and John R. Walsh, president of the Chicago National Bank, director and principal stockholder of a dozen big corporations and owner of the Chicago Chronicle.

There has been a bitter feud for years between the present Mayor and the Monroe-street financier, and for a score of years there has been a fierce vendetta between the elder Harrison and Walsh.

BRYAN ASSUMES.

BUT DOES NOT MEET HILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William J. Bryan spent an eventful morning in New York today. The meeting and reconciliation which National Committeeman Norman E. Mack had arranged for Bryan and David B. Hill fell through. Mack succeeded in getting both leaders in the same hotel, the Hoffman House, at the same time, but he could not induce them to shake hands and make up. Both "kept still, very still." After this fiasco, Bryan went to the City Hall and conferred with Mayor McClellan.

Bryan was asked if he thought the coming Democratic National Convention will reaffirm the Kansas City platform.

"Certainly I do. That platform will be reaffirmed," he said.

After leaving the Mayor, Bryan was asked if McClellan would be acceptable to western Democrats as a candidate for President.

"I assume that he would," said Bryan.

The Nebraskan was asked then what he thought of Tammany Leader Murphy's indorsement of Cleveland.

"I assume that it may have some influence, but not much," he said.

When asked what would happen if Cleveland should be nominated, Bryan became serious and said: "I live in a brick house, and brick houses are dangerous in times of earthquakes. If ever Cleveland is again nominated, he will strike the ground with such a thud that it will cause an earthquake. Earthquakes are not good for people in brick houses. I don't want any earthquakes."

PERRY HEATH'S SUCCESSOR.

SKETCH OF ELMER DOVER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Elmer Dover, who has been appointed by Chairman Payne to succeed Perry Heath as secretary of the Republican National Committee, is 30 years old. He was born in McConnellsville, O., April 14, 1873, and received his education in the public schools there. When he was 16 he was "editor and manager" of the county paper at McConnellsville, and ran it for two years. From McConnellsville, he went to Akron and worked as city editor of the Akron Beacon for two years; then to Portsmouth, O., where he was city editor of the Times for five years.

He was at the Republican headquarters in Chicago during the campaign of 1896, as assistant to Charles Dick, who was assistant secretary of the committee. It was while at headquarters that he met Hanna.

The following year, when Hanna was appointed to the United States Senate he chose Dover as his secretary.

Bryan Calls on McClellan.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—William J. Bryan called on Mayor McClellan today at the City Hall, and remained in conference with him for some time. The Mayor was summoned from a meeting of the Board of Estimates to meet Bryan. Bryan at the end of his visit, said that he had made only a friendly call on McClellan, and politics had not been discussed.

OXNARD.

RIGHTS OF WAY GRANTED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OXNARD, Feb. 26.—The Patterson Ranch Company has given the Huntington representatives an option for a right of way across its property, from the north line to a point aligning the west end of Sixth street, in this city. The American Beet Sugar Company has also given the same parties a right of way across its factory grounds extending from the east end of Sixth street to the Southern Pacific right of way. The question arises as to why the Huntington syndicate should want to get in so close to the Southern Pacific right of way; or, if this option is really for the Southern Pacific Company, why are they expending so much money on their present line to Montalvo, and the approaches to their present bridge across the Santa Clara River.

The area now irrigated and prepared for beets for the coming sugar campaign has reached nearly ten thousand acres, and with favorable rains in the next few weeks, another 5000 acres will be added.

J. W. Rose, assistant manager of the sugar factory, has just submitted to a successful operation for appendicitis, and is reported today to be getting on nicely.

Joseph Sailer, master mechanic at the factory, has returned from a four months' visit to his old home in Germany. During his trip he visited a number of the large sugar factories in Germany and France.

DID MORRIS MURDER GEORGE BOSSLER?

MEMBERS of the Police Detective force who have been working on the case of J. G. (better known as George) Bossler, who was found with his throat cut in a corral on Wilmington street, and who was supposed to have committed suicide, believe that the man was murdered. They have placed a well-known character known here as "Curley" Morris in jail and although no formal charge of murder has been lodged against him, he is held on suspicion of having committed the crime.

The theory of the detectives is that Bossler, Morris and a third man, whose name is either not known, or who, if known, has secreted himself, came from Seattle some time ago; that they were implicated in a job which carried with it a division of money between them. Whether it was a piece of criminal work or not cannot be stated, but according to the information which the officers have secured fro what they think is a reliable source, Bossler had some of the money on his person and was trying to keep a portion of it, which Morris thought should be paid him.

The informant of the police says the three quarreled, Morris became enraged, and drawing a razor slashed Bossler across the throat, causing the wound which resulted in his death.

That there was more to the case than suicide the detectives give out no hint. They even went to the extreme of letting the Coroner's jury return a verdict of death by suicide, but meantime they have been working on the case, knowing that such a verdict would be certain to disarm suspicion if murder really had been committed.

They are, of course, not yet prepared to prove that Morris committed a murder, but their investigations have lead to certain confirmatory information of what was told them by the man who said Morris did commit the crime. Who the other man in the case was even the officers do not know.

Morris has not been booked at the Police Station, and whether he will be held for the crime or not depends upon what positive proof can be brought against him. He is said to be a member of the fraternity of "macs" and is addicted to the use of opium. He has been under arrest before, sometimes under suspicion of committing serious crimes.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.]

The Congo Cruelties.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Your protest against the horrors of the Congo Free State is altogether just and timely. You take the side of the weak, the ignorant and the friendless, when a most determined attempt (backed by wealth, high position, open and occult blackmail,) is being made to hush up the whole business. Even Sir Henry M. Stanley, honored both in the United States and the United Kingdom as a high African authority, has come forward in the pitiful role of whitewasher to His Majesty of the Belgians. There seemed some hope of inquiry when Stokes, erstwhile missionary and later African trader, was so summarily executed by the Belgian officials. But a salve of gold healed the soreness.

America, having no African ambitions (beyond a vaguely paternal attitude toward Liberia,) could, best of all the nations, take the lead in this protest. The British people have been deeply stirred by these Satanic systems, but are hampered by conflicting African interests, of the French around Lake Tchad, and of German and Belgians on the "Cape to Cairo" line. A strong, free, disinterested white race, speaking on the ground of bare humanity, would carry great weight. Of course, you would have to expect sarcastic references to lynching, however unfair the comparison.

There is some secret understanding with the idea of making France residuary legatee of the Congo Free State in case the Leopold Majesty and the Belgians ever retire, so the response to America from Paris may be chilly.

Great Britain has probably had more civil, military, commercial and missionary experience with weaker Asiatic and African races than all the continent of Europe put together; but in any international gathering she would be outvoted. The autocratic tendencies of Northeastern Europe and the Catholic sympathies of Southwestern, would both on different grounds be arrayed against her to shield Belgium and favor France. From one point of view it would be the illiterate people outvoting the educated Northwest. In Europe the open Bible and the well-filled schoolhouse go together, as the statistics of illiteracy conclusively prove. American initiative in the cause of the ill-used African would be welcomed by the most progressive races. MALABARI.

A Russian's Criticisms.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26, 1904.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Allow me to intrude once more upon your valuable space in regard to the present war. While it is only about two weeks old, Japan has already many times violated all international laws and usages. There can hardly be any doubt as to that, if one coolly dissects all the facts connected with the neutrality of Korea, with the first attack on Port Arthur, the battle at Chemulpo and the new idea of a protectorate over a country that is seized by the throat and whose foremost statesmen are conveyed as prisoners abroad. The thin, superficial veneer of civilization cannot control the yellow Asiatic nature—it will assert itself more and more as the war progresses and Japan begins to realize that this time she has bitten off considerably more than she can ever hope to chew. The sympathies of the civilized world, at first wholly with her, are already beginning to turn, and no white man will be able to defend her actions much longer. I am fully convinced that what were called at first "clever tricks," then "blunders," will be soon called as they deserve to be "crimes against the laws of civilization," and that even her warmes present friends will be obliged to turn their backs upon her. At the same time, the inevitable final results of the war are as plain to me today as they will be to everybody in six months from now. Whoever knows anything about the real resources and real respective qualities of the people of both countries cannot doubt them for a moment. Japan is simply suffering from a swelled head, and is going to have treatment for that unprofitable disease, which, I am sure, will alleviate her for some time to come. She was eagerly looking for a fray of some kind, and circumstances were such, that it fell to the lot of Russia to prick the soap bubble. The whole civilized world will be thankful to her when the thing is over with. Japan, in her mood of the last decade, was as dangerous to everybody as a stick of dynamite laying around loose.

Taking all that into consideration, I fail to see why Secretary Hay so persistently pursues his pin-pricking policy towards Russia. Sending consuls to places under purely military control, from which all foreigners are necessarily excluded, and where there can be no business of any kind transacted at present, threatening to land marines at Wiju and Newchwang; countenancing the refusal of the captain of the Vicksburg to join in a protest agreed to even by a British captain, a direct and recognized Japanese ally; ordering all those movements of the American fleet in Eastern waters—doing all these things, which can do no earthly good to this country, and certainly are, at the very least, unpleasant to Russia in her present condition and mood. All this seems to me to be a highly provocative policy against a friendly and powerful nation. The Russian is highly emotional, impulsive and sensitive; annoying pinpricking hurts him more than direct heavy blows, and he remembers it longer. Retaliation in some form is sure to follow, and strained relations, political as well as commercial, for some time to come will be the result. America buys practically nothing of Russia, while Russia buys many millions' worth of goods yearly, and that trade was rapidly growing, especially with our Pacific Coast. Secretary Hay is playing a dangerous and unprofitable game, unworthy of our great and glorious country.

P. A. DEMENS-TVERSKOY.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 26.—The County Board of Trade made up of the boards of the several towns in the county, have elected its president, L. G. Sinnard of Paso Robles, to accompany the county's exhibit to St. Louis and remain there in charge of it during the exposition. His expenses will be paid by the County Board of Trade.

Coroner G. B. Nichols was called to the home of Martin Murphy, near Shandon yesterday to hold an inquest over the body of Murphy, who was found dead in a field he had been plowing. The verdict was death from natural causes.

Park Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of this city will extend an invitation to the Grand Lodge which meets in Bakersfield in May to hold its session in 1905 in this city.

S. D. Locke of Stockton has located three placer claims near Point Sal.

Its Turn May Come.

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